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NINGPO & SHANGHAI	"KANCHOW"	..	On 29th Aug., Noon
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TSINGTAO	"SUIYANG"	...	On 29th Aug., 3 p.m.
AMOY & SHANGHAI	"TSINAN"	...	On 2nd Aug., 5 p.m.
SANTUAO & SHANGHAI	"HUICHOW"	...	On 3rd Aug., Noon
SWATOW, AMOY & SHANGHAI	"YOCHOW"	..	On 31st Aug., 3 p.m.
SWATOW, FOOCHOW, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN	"HUNAN"	...	On 31st Aug., 3 p.m.
HOIHOW, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG	"KIUNGCHOW"	...	On 31st Aug., 3 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TSINGTAO	"SZECHUEN"	...	On 2nd Sept., 2 p.m.
FOOCHOW, SHANGHAI, DAIREN & NEWCHWANG	"CHINHUA"	...	On 2nd Sept., 5 p.m.
SWATOW & BANGKOK	"KWANGCHOW"	...	On 3rd Sept., 2 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TSINGTAO	"SOOCHOW"	...	On 4th Sept., 3 p.m.
AMOY & SHANGHAI	"TAIYUAN"	...	On 5th Sept., 5 p.m.
SWATOW, AMOY & SHANGHAI	"HUPEH"	...	On 7th Sept., 3 p.m.
HOIHOW, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG	"KWANGTUNG"	...	On 7th Sept., 3 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TSINGTAO	"SHANTUNG"	...	On 9th Sept., 3 p.m.
FOOCHOW, SHANGHAI, DAIREN & NEWCHWANG	"TAMING"	...	On 9th Sept., 5 p.m.
AMOY, SWATOW & SINGAPORE	"ANSHUN"	...	On 10th Sept., 8 a.m.
SWATOW & BANGKOK	"KALGAN"	...	On 10th Sept., 3 p.m.
HOIHOW, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG	"YOCHOW"	...	On 14th Sept., 3 p.m.
SWATOW & BANGKOK	"KWEIYANG"	...	On 17th Sept., 3 p.m.

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NORTHWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS AND JAPAN.

Amoy.
Tsinan, B. & S., August 29.
Hai Ching, Douglas', August 31.
Yochow, B. & S., August 31.
Ho Sang, Jardine's, September 1.
Hai Ning, Douglas', September 4.
Tai Yuan, B. & S., September 5.
Hupeh, B. & S., September 7.
Takada, B.I. (Apcar), September 7.
Chak Sang, Jardine's, September 9.
Kum Sang, Jardine's, September 18.

Chefoo.
Hunan, B. & S., August 31.
Yat Shing, Jardine's, September 2.
Hop Sang, Jardine's, September 6.

Dairy.
Burgenland, Jebsen's, August 30.
Chinhua, B. & S., September 2.
Yat Shing, Jardine's, September 2.
Isar, Melcher's, September 6.
Taming, B. & S., September 9.
Ermland, Jebsen's, September 16.
Atreus, B. & S., September 17.
Aeneas, B. & S., September 18.
Coblenz, Jebsen's, September 21.
Kulmerland, Jebsen's, September 27.

Foochow.
Hai Ching, Douglas', August 31.
Hunan, B. & S., August 31.
Chinhua, B. & S., September 2.
Yat Shing, Jardine's, September 2.
Hai Ning, Douglas', September 4.
Hop Sang, Jardine's, September 6.
Taming, B. & S., September 9.

Hankow
Teiresias, B. & S., September 25.

JAPAN (Direct).
Ho Sang, Jardine's, August 31.
Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 12.
Tyndareus, B. & S., September 13.

Keelung.
Nagara Maru, N.Y.K., September 7.

Newchwang
Chinhua, B. & S., September 2.
Taming, B. & S., September 9.

Otaru.
Diomed, B. & S., September 10.

Santuao
Huichow, B. & S., August 30.

Shanghai and Japan
Anna Maersk, Jebsen's, August 29.
Pres. Taft, Dollar's, August 29.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., August 29.
Burgenland, Jebsen's, August 30.
Menestheus, B. & S., August 31.
Pres. Jefferson, A. M. Line, Sept. 1.
Nankin, E. & A. S.S. Co., September 2.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., September 4.
Bangalore, P. & O., September 5.
Isar, Melcher's, September 6.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., September 6.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Sept. 7.
Nagara Maru, N.Y.K., September 7.
Siam, Manners', September 7.
Takada, B.I. (Apcar), September 7.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, September 8.
Andre Lebon, Messageries', Sept. 9.
Diomed, B. & S., September 10.
Phemius, B. & S., September 11.
Pres. Jackson, A. M. Line, Sept. 15.
Ermland, Jebsen's, September 16.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 16.
Tourcoing, Thoresen's, September 16.
Atreus, B. & S., September 17.
Aeneas, B. & S., September 18.
Kum Sang, Jardine's, September 18.
Shantung, Gilman's, September 18.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, September 18.
Comorin, P. & O., September 20.
Coblenz, Jebsen's, September 21.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., September 21.
Kulmerland, Jebsen's, September 27.
Agamemnon, B. & S., September 28.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., October 5.

SHANGHAI AND VIA PORTS.
Norviken, Jardine's, August 29.
Sui Yang, B. & S., August 29.
Tsinan, B. & S., August 29.
Huichow, B. & S., August 30.
Yochow, B. & S., August 31.
Chinhua, B. & S., September 2.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 2.
Daviken, Jardine's, September 2.
Szechuen, B. & S., September 2.
Soochow, B. & S., September 4.
Sandviken, Jardine's, September 5.
Tai Yuan, B. & S., September 5.
Hupeh, B. & S., September 7.
Chak Sang, Jardine's, September 9.
Shantung, B. & S., September 9.
Taming, B. & S., September 9.
Aeneas, B. & S., September 18.

Swatow.
Norviken, Jardine's, August 29.
Seistan, Douglas', August 29.
Sui Yang, B. & S., August 29.
Hai Ching, Douglas', August 31.
Hunan, B. & S., August 31.
Yochow, B. & S., August 31.
Daviken, Jardine's, September 2.
Szechuen, B. & S., September 2.
Yat Shing, Jardine's, September 2.
Kwang Chow, B. & S., September 3.
Hai Ning, Douglas', September 4.
Soochow, B. & S., September 4.
Sandviken, Jardine's, September 5.
Hop Sang, Jardine's, September 6.
Hupeh, B. & S., September 7.
Muinam, Manner's, September 7.
Chak Sang, Jardine's, September 9.
Shantung, B. & S., September 9.

Taku Bar.
Burgenland, Jebsen's, August 30.
Isar, Melcher's, September 6.
Tyndareus, B. & S., September 10.
Ermland, Jebsen's, September 16.
Atreus, B. & S., September 17.
Aeneas, B. & S., September 18.
Coblenz, Jebsen's, September 21.
Kulmerland, Jebsen's, September 27.

Tientsin.
Hunan, B. & S., August 31.
Yat Shing, Jardine's, September 2.
Hop Sang, Jardine's, September 6.

Tsingtao.
Norviken, Jardine's, August 29.
Sui Fang, B. & S., August 29.
Daviken, Jardine's, September 2.
Szechuen, B. & S., September 2.
Soochow, B. & S., September 4.
Sandviken, Jardine's, September 5.
Isar, Melcher's, September 6.
Shantung, B. & S., September 9.
Ermland, Jebsen's, September 16.
Coblenz, Jebsen's, September 21.

Wei Hai Wei.
Hunan, B. & S., August 31.

EASTWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO N. AND SOUTH AMERICA

Balboa.
Nagara Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 12.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, September 18.

Baltimore.
Maron, B. & S., September 10.

Boston and New York.
Pres. Taft, Dollar's, August 29.
Pres. Jefferson, A. M. Line, Sept. 1.
Silverwalnut, Furness', Sept. 3.
Nagara Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, September 8.
Maron, B. & S., September 10.
Pres. Jackson, A. M. Line, Sept. 15.
Siamese Prince, Furness', Sept. 15.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, September 18.

Cristobal
Nagara Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, September 18.

Halifax.
Silverwalnut, Furness', Sept. 3.
Siamese Prince, Furness', Sept. 15.

Honolulu.
Pres. Taft, Dollar's, August 29.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., September 4.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, September 8.
Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 12.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 16.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., September 21.

Los Angeles
Pres. Taft, Dollar's, August 29.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., September 4.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, September 8.
Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 12.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 16.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, September 18.

Mexico.
Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 12.

Panama.
Nagara Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, September 18.

Philadelphia.
Maron, B. & S., September 10.

San Francisco.
Pres. Taft, Dollar's, August 29.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., September 4.
Nagara Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, September 8.
Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 12.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 16.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, September 18.

Seattle.
Pres. Jefferson, A. M. Line, Sept. 1.
Tyndareus, B. & S., September 13.
Pres. Jackson, A. M. Line, Sept. 15.

South America (W.C.)
Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 12.

Vancouver, B.C.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Sept. 7.
Tyndareus, B. & S., September 13.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., September 21.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., October 5.

Victoria, B.C.
Pres. Jefferson, A. M. Line, Sept. 1.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Sept. 7.
Tyndareus, B. & S., September 13.
Pres. Jackson, A. M. Line, Sept. 15.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., September 21.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., October 5.

SOUTHWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA.

Australian Ports, East and West
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Tai Ping, B. & S., September 19.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., September 22.

Bali
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, September 4.

Bangkok.
Muinam, Manner's, September 7.
Kwang Chow, B. & S., September 3.

Batavia.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Siamese Prince, Furness', Sept. 15.

Brisbane.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., Sept. 1.
Tai Ping, B. & S., September 19.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., September 22.

Cairns.
Tai Ping, B. & S., September 19.

Cebu
Silverwalnut, Furness', Sept. 3.

Davao
Silverwalnut, Furness', Sept. 3.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., September 22.

Derby.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.

Freemantle.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.

Haiphong.
Kiung Chow, B. & S., August 31.
Kwangtung, B. & S., September 7.

Halifax.
Silverwalnut, Furness', Sept. 3.

Hobart.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., Sept. 1.

Hongkong.
Kiung Chow, B. & S., August 31.
Kwangtung, B. & S., September 7.

Java.
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, September 4.

Macassar.
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, September 4.
Siamese Prince, Furness', Sept. 15.

Manila.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., August 30.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's August 30.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., Sept. 1.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Silverwalnut, Furness', Sept. 3.
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, September 4.
Pres. Jackson, A. M. Line, Sept. 8.
Maron, B. & S., September 10.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., September 14.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, September 15.
Siamese Prince, Furness', Sept. 15.
Tai Ping, B. & S., September 19.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., September 22.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., September 27.

Melbourne.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., Sept. 1.
Tai Ping, B. & S., September 19.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., September 22.

Menado.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., September 22.

Pakhoi
Kiung Chow, B. & S., August 31
Kwangtung, B. & S., September 7.

Rabaul.
Bremerhaven, Melcher's, August 29.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., Sept. 1.

Saigon.
Aramis, Messageries', September 11.

Samarang.
Hin Sang, Jardine's, September 14.
Mau Sang, Jardine's, September 28.

Semarang.
Siamese Prince, Furness', Sept. 15.

Socrabia.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, September 4.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Siamese Prince, Furness', Sept. 15.

South Sea Islands.
Bremerhaven, Melcher's, August 29.
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, September 4.

Sydney.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., Sept. 1.
Tai Ping, B. & S., September 19.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., September 22.

Thursday Island.
Tai Ping, B. & S., September 19.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., September 22.

Townsville.
Tai Ping, B. & S., September 19.

Tsingtao.
Bremerhaven, Melcher's, August 29.

WESTWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO EUROPE, AFRICA, ETC.

Aden.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.
Aramis, Messageries', September 11.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., September 15.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.

Alexandria.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.

Algiers.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.

Amsterdam.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.

Antwerp.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., September 15.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.

Barcelona.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, September 5.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.

Beyreuth
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.

Bombay.
Genoa Maru, N.Y.K., August 29.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 13.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.
Toyama Maru, N.Y.K., September 11.

Boston and New York
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Silverwalnut, Furness', Sept. 3.
Maron, B. & S., September 10.
Siamese Prince, Furness', Sept. 15.

Bremen
Donau, Melchers', September 9.

Brindisi
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 13.

Calcutta
Genoa Maru, N.Y.K., August 29.
Talma, B.I. (Apcar), August 31.
Calcutta Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Kut Sang, Jardine's, September 8.
Toyama Maru, N.Y.K., September 11.
Ho Sang, Jardine's, September 22.

Casablanca.
Troilus, B. & S., September 5.

Colombo.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, September 5.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Donau, Melchers', September 9.
Aramis, Messageries', September 11.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 13.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., September 15.
Sirdhana, B.I. (Apcar), September 15.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.

Copenhagen
Danmark, Manners', September 1.

Danzig.
Laomedon, B. & S., September 7.

Djibouti.
Aramis, Messageries', September 11.

Genoa.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, September 5.
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Maron, B. & S., September 10.

Gibraltar.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., September 15.

Glasgow.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
City of Norwich, Bank Line, Sept. 9.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.

Gothenburg.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.

Gdynia.
Laomedon, B. & S., September 7.

Hamburg.
Danmark, Manners', September 1.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, September 5.
Troilus, B. & S., September 5.
City of Norwich, Bank Line, Sept. 9.
Donau, Melchers', September 9.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.
Mentor, B. & S., August 29.

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SAILINGS SUBJECT TO ALTERATIONS

TO :—	STEAMSHIP	DATE
TSINGTAU via SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"NORVIKEN"	Wed., 29th Aug., at 5 p.m.
	"DAVIKEN"	Sun., 2nd Sept., at 3 p.m.
	"SANDVIKEN"	Wed., 5th Sept., at 5 p.m.
	"CHAKSANG"	Sun., 9th Sept., at 3 p.m.
KOBE via AMOY & OSAKA	"HOSANG"	Satur., 1st Sept., at 10 a.m.
KOBE via AMOY, S'HAI. & OSAKA	"KUMSANG"	Tues., 18th Sept., at 10 a.m.
SINGAPORE, PENANG & CALCUTTA	"KUTSANG"	Satur., 8th Sept., at 4 p.m.
	"HOSANG"	Satur., 22nd Sept., at Noon
SANDAKAN	"HINSANG"	Fri., 14th Sept., at Noon
	"MAUSANG"	Fri., 28th Sept., at Noon
TIENTSIN via SWATOW, FOOCHOW, CHEFOO & DAIRY	"YATSHING"	Sun., 2nd Sept., at 2 p.m.
TIENTSIN via SWATOW, FOOCHOW & CHEFOO.	"HOPSANG"	Thurs., 6th Sept., at 5 p.m.

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Havre.
Laomedon, B. & S., September 7.
City of Norwich, Bank Line, Sept. 9.

Hull.
Troilus, B. & S., September 5.

Istanbul
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.

Italy.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 13.

Liverpool.
Laomedon, B. & S., September 7.
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.

London.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Troilus, B. & S., September 5.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.
City of Norwich, Bank Line, Sept. 9.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 13.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., September 15.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.

Malta.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.

Marseilles.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.
Donau, Melchers', September 9.
Aramis, Messageries', September 11.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., September 15.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.

Naples.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Silverwalnut, Furness', Sept. 3.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., September 15.
Siamese Prince, Furness', Sept. 15.

Oran.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Donau, Melchers', September 9.

Oslo.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.

Penang.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Genoa Maru, N.Y.K., August 29.
Talma, B.I. (Apcar), August 31.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, September 1.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Troilus, B. & S., September 5.
Calcutta Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.
Kut Sang, Jardine's, September 8.
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Toyama Maru, N.Y.K., September 11.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., September 15.
Sirdhana, B.I. (Apcar), September 15.
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, September 20.
Ho Sang, Jardine's, September 22.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.

Pirzeus
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.

Plymouth.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.

Port Said.
Danmark, Manners', September 1.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, September 5.
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Donau, Melchers', September 9.
Aramis, Messageries', September 11.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 13.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., September 15.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.

Port Swettenham.
Talma, B. J. (Apcar) August 31.

Rangoon.
Genoa Maru, N.Y.K., August 29.
Calcutta Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, September 20.

Rotterdam.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Genoa Maru, N.Y.K., August 29.
Danmark, Manners', September 1.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, September 5.
Troilus, B. & S., September 5.
City of Norwich, Bank Line, Sept. 9.
Donau, Melchers', September 9.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., September 15.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.

Scandinavian and Baltic Ports
Danmark, Manners', September 1.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.

Singapore.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Genoa Maru, N.Y.K., August 29.
Talma, B.I. (Apcar), August 31.
Danmark, Manners', September 1.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, September 5.
Troilus, B. & S., September 5.

Suez.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Maron, B. & S., September 10.
Aramis, Messageries', September 11.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 13.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., September 15.

Tangier.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.

Trieste.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 13.

United Kingdom and Continental Ports.
Danmark, Manners', September 1.

Valencia
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.

Venice.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 13.

VESSELS DUE

Achilles, B. & S., October 8.
Aeneas, B. & S., Sept. 18.
Agamemnon, B. & S., September 28.
Andre Lebon, Messageries', Sept. 9.
Anna Maersk, Jebsen's, August 29.
Atago Marr, N.Y.K., Sept. 4.
Bangalore, P. & O., Sept. 4.
Bhutan, P. & O., October 2.
Bremerhaven, Melcher's, August 29.
Burgenland, Jebsen's, August 30.
City of Norwich, Bank Line, Sept. 9.
Comorin, P. & O., September 19.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 2.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.
Danmark, Manners', September 1.
Diomed, B. & S., Sept. 10.
Donau, Melchers', September 9.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., September 26.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., Sept. 14.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., August 29.
Ermland, Jebsen's, September 16.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Glaucus, B. & S., October 11.
Hai Ching, Douglas', August 30.
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, September 20.
Hai Ning, Douglas', September 3.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 30.
Ho Sang, Jardine's, August 30.
Isar, Melcher's, September 6.
Ixion, B. & S., September 27.
Kiungchow, B. & S., August 29.
Kulmerland, Jebsen's, September 27.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, September 5.
Menestheus, B. & S., August 31.
Mirzapore, P. & O., August 31.
Muinam, Manner's, September 5.
Nagara Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Nankin, E. & A. S.S. Co., Sept. 1.
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., October 3.
Phemius, B. & S., September 10.
Philoctetes, B. & S., October 3.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, August 31.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, August 30.
Pres. Grant, A. M. Line, October 5.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, September 14.
Pres. Hayes, Dollar's, September 28.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, September 27.
Pres. Jackson, A.M. Line, September 7.
Pres. Jefferson, A. M. Line, August 31.
Pres. Johnson, Dollar's, October 2.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, Sept. 21.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, September 17.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar's, August 31.
Rajputana, P. & O., October 3.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., Sept. 5.
Santhia, B.I. (Apcar), October 3.
Shantung, Gilman's, September 18.
Siam, Manners', September 7.
Siamese Prince, Furness', Sept. 15.
Silverwalnut, Furness', Sept. 3.
Somali, P. & O., September 15.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., August 31.
Tai Ping, B. & S., September 11.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, September 17.
Takada, B.I. (Apcar), Sept. 5.
Talma, E. & A. S.S. Co., August 30.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., August 29.
Tango Maru, N.Y.K., August 29.
Teiresias, B. & S., September 25.
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, September 4.
Tilawa, B.I. (Apcar), September 19.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.
Tourcoing, Thoresen's, September 16.
Troilus, B. & S., September 4.
Tyndareus, B. & S., September 10.

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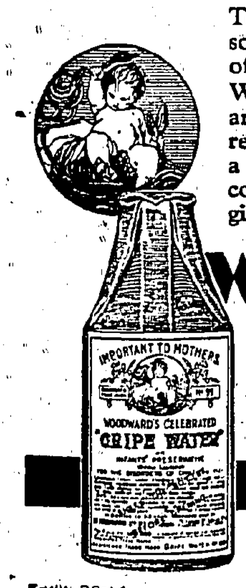

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SHIPPING NOTES AND NEWS

Shanghai, Aug. 23.

My. Tancred Arrives at Antwerp

Messrs. O. Thoresen & Co. announce that the my. Tancard arrived at Antwerp on the evening of August 18.

Weihaiwei, Chefoo, and Tientsin

Weihaiwei, Chefoo, and Tientsin are the three ports of call of the I.-C.S.N. passenger and cargo coastal steamer s.s. Fausang, which leaves from Old Ningpo Wharf at noon to-day. She is commanded by Captain W. F. Bichard. The C.N. s.s. Chungking, which will sail to-morrow, will call at the same three northern ports as the s.s. Fausang. The s.s. Chungking will leave from the French Bund at noon to-morrow.

Next Air Mails for Europe

The next vessels leaving for Europe, which connect at Saigon and Singapore with the Saigon-Marseilles-London air mail service and the Bandoeng-Amsterdam air mail service, are the M.M. s.s. Athos II and the Blue Funnel s.s. Antenor. Both vessels are sailing on Saturday. They both connect at Saigon with the Saigon-Marseilles-London air mail. Letters sent by this route reach London on September 9. The s.s. Antenor will also connect at Singapore with the Bandeong-Amsterdam air mail service, and letters sent by this route reach Paris and London on September 12.

Departures for River Ports

The I.-C.S.N. s.s. Kutwo, the C.N. s.s. Tatung, and the N.K.K. s.s. Fenyang Maru are all sailing to-night for Hankow and intermediate ports of call. The s.s. Kutwo is leaving from Hunt's Wharf at midnight. The s.s. Fenyang Maru also leaves about midnight from the N.Y.K. Mail Wharf. The s.s. Tatung sails from the French Bund at 3 a.m. All three vessels are carrying passengers and cargo.

South China Ports

The I.-C.S.N. s.s. Chipshing will sail for Foochow to-morrow. At present she is berthed at buoy 5 and she is scheduled to sail at 2 p.m. to-morrow. A passenger tender from the Customs Jetty will leave at 1 p.m., for the vessel. The s.s. Chipshing will be carrying passengers and cargo.

s.s. Pingwo To Carry Passengers

The I.-C.S.N. s.s. Pingwo arrived at Nee Tai Shing Wharf yesterday evening. After she has discharged her cargo of coal she will be going into the Yangtszepoo docks of the Shanghai Dock and Engineering Co., Ltd., where she will be converted into a passenger boat. At the present time she has merely been carrying cargo on the river. It is anticipated that the alterations will take from a month to a month and a half. The decision to convert the s.s. Pingwo into a passenger vessel proves the increasing number of people travelling on the river, for two vessels of the China Navigation have already been reconstructed recently to carry passengers in addition to cargo.

Empress Movements

The Empress of Canada which left Manila on August 20 is expected at Shanghai next Sunday. She will berth at the Shanghai and Hongkew Pootung Wharf at about 1 p.m. The passenger tender to the Customs Jetty should arrive at about 2.30 p.m. The following day, Monday, at 9.30 a.m. the ship is scheduled to sail for Vancouver and Victoria via Kobe, Yokohama, and Honolulu. The passenger tender from the Customs Jetty will leave at 8 a.m. Heavy and light baggage will be handled on all outgoing tenders to the vessel. The Empress of Canada is expected to reach Canada on September 12. Coinciding with the departure of the Empress of Canada on Monday, the Empress of Russia will arrive in port from Victoria and Vancouver.

RUBBER SHARES

Quotations On Singapore Market

Messrs. Carroll Bros. have received the following quotations of Singapore Rubber Shares, dated August 22, 1934.

Prices in Straits Currency:

	Buyers	Sellers
Allenbys	St$1.95	St$2.05
Ayer Moleks	1.40	1.50
Ayer Panas	2.05	2.12½
Changkat Serdangs	5.85	6.10
Glenealys	2.60	2.70
Jimahs	2.05	2.15
Kedahs	3.15	3.30
Lunas	2.50	2.60
Malaka Pindas	1.77½	1.82½
Pajams	2.50	2.57½
Sungei Bagans	3.60	3.70
United Malaccas	1.95	2.00

LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.)

On	Sterling Parity	Aug. 25.	Aug. 27.
Amsterdam	12.10 Florins	7.36½	7.39
Athens	375 Drachmae	520 S.	517 S.
Belgrade	276,316 Dinars	—	218
Berlin	20.43 Marks	12.77½	12.83
Bombay	1s. 6d. per Rupee	1/6 1/16	1/6 1/16
Brussels	35 Belgas	21.26½	21.30
Bucharest	813,568 Lei	498	495
Buenos Aires	47.58d. per Peso	36½ S.O.	36¼ S.O.
Copenhagen	18.159 Kroner	22.39½	22.39½
Geneva	25.22½ Francs	15.28½	15.32½
Helsingfors	193.23 Marks	226¼	226 9/32
Hongkong		1/6¼	1/6¼
Lisbon	110 Escudos	110¼	110¼
Madrid	25.22½ Pesetas	30 17/32	36 9/16
Milan	92.46 Lire	58 5/32	58 9/32
Montevideo	50.83d. per Peso	39 S.O.	39 S.O.
Montreal	4.867 Dollars	4.92	4.91¾
New York	4.867 Dollars	5.06¾	5.05¾
Oslo	18.159 Kroner	19.90½	19.90½
Paris	194.21 Francs	75 23/32	75 27/32
Prague	164.25 Kronen	120¼	120¼
Rio de Janeiro	28.93d. per Gold Milreis	4¼ S.O.	4¼ S.O.
Shanghai		1/4 11/16	1/4 11/16
Stockholm	18.159 Kroner	19.39½	19.39½
Vienna	34.58½ Schillings	26¼	26¾
Yokohama	24.58d. per Yen	1/2¼	1/2¼
Silver (spot)			21 9/16
Silver (forward)		21¼	21 9/16
War Loan	3½%	—	104 7/16

Closing Quotations

August 28, 1934.

ON LONDON:—		ON NEW YORK:—	
Telegraphic Transfer...	1.6½	Bank Bills, on demand	38½
Bank Bills, on demand		Credits, 60 days' sight	38½
Bank Bills, 4 months' sight	1/5⅝	ON BATAVIA:—	
Credits, four months' sight	1 7	On demand	55¼
ON SHANGHAI:—		ON PARIS:—	
On Demand	10 ⅛	Bank Bills, on demand	575
ON SINGAPORE:—		Credits, 4 months' sight	605
On demand	6 ⅞	ON SAIGON:—	
ON JAPAN:—		On demand	57½
On demand	137½	ON MANILA:—	
ON INDIA:—		On demand	76¾
Telegraphic Transfer...		ON BANGKOK:—	
Bank, on demand	01	On demand	12 ⅞
		SOVEREIGNS, Bank Buying Rate	1/6¼
		BAR SILVER, per oz.	21 9/16

LONDON FINANCIAL NOTES

Burma Corporation Dividend

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug. 11.

The final dividend of the Burma Corporation for the year ended June 30 is 2½ annas per share, making a total payment of 5 annas, or 3⅛ per share. No bonus is paid for the past year, whereas for 1932-33 shareholders received a bonus of 5/16 per cent., the payment for the whole year having been 3 7-16 per cent. While the price of silver at the close of the corporation's year was nearly 2½d. higher than at the end of June, 1933, material declines occurred in copper, spelter, and lead, copper falling from £40 10s. to £34 5s. a ton, spelter from £17 10s. to £14, and lead from £14 15s. to £12 15s. The lower levels of these base metals would appear to have more than offset any benefits derived from the higher price of silver.

A Swedish Review of Banking

The course of banking in the principal countries has shown wide divergencies since the War, and in an article analysing these divergences and their causes in the "Index," the review of the well-known Swedish bank Svenska Handelsbanken, a notable tribute is paid to the stability of English banking. It is based on the two publications of the League of Nations, "Commercial Banks 1913-1929," and "Commercial Banks, 1925-1933." The period covered was marked by two crises—namely, that of 1920 and the far deeper crisis of 1929-33. Broadly, the article, of which the author is Professor Sven Brisman, reveals the manner in which the banking systems of the principal countries came through these crises. In the matter of losses he review shows that it was chiefly in Scandinavia that bank losses were excessively heavy, following the 1920 crisis, and particularly in Denmark and Norway. The English banks, states the writer, carried on as usual, undisturbed by all the storms raging around them. In the United States, owing to the rapid economic revival, the banks' net profits could be kept more or less unaltered. In the inflationist countries of Europe the banks enjoyed a spurious prosperity, the net profits of the German banks amounting in 1922 to 146 per cent.

Stability of English Banks

As regards the later crisis, from the effects of which the world is still suffering, its influence on bank profits, it is shown, has been much more widespread. More than half of the countries for which figures are given suffered net lossss on their banking systems as a whole, and in the case of the others net profits were reduced on an average to a minimal amount. "The banks of Great Britain," says the writer, "functioning as they do with extraordinary stability, are the only ones that have been able to pay almost as high during the crisis as they did before." Otherwise heavy losses and failures have been recorded among the banks in practically all countries. It was this fact, he points out, that led to the nationalization of the banking system in Austria, and, in the main, also in Germany. The ability of the English banks to abstain from drastic cuts in dividends is a result of their policy of building up large reserves in prosperous years. Thus in the depression shareholders have reaped the benefit of the conservative dividend policy pursued when profits were large, and the banks have been able to retain the confidence of both depositors and shareholders.

WIRELESS GUIDES FOR AEROPLANES

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug. 11.

Following the success of the direction-finding installation at the Croydon airport, the Air Ministry have decided to have similar wireless equipment at every aerodrome around the British coasts. Wireless stations will be erected at Renfrew, Portsmouth, Belfast, Jersey, and Plymouth, first, as they are the nearest airports to the coast for any over-water aircraft, but that the system will be developed so that every military, commercial, and civil aeroplane may be able to travel over any part of the country and be in constant communication with the nearest aerodrome by wireless. Primarily the direction-finding apparatus for aeroplanes fitted with wireless is for the purpose of guiding them in fogs, but its service will be available continuously for any navigational or meteorological information to promote safety in flying.

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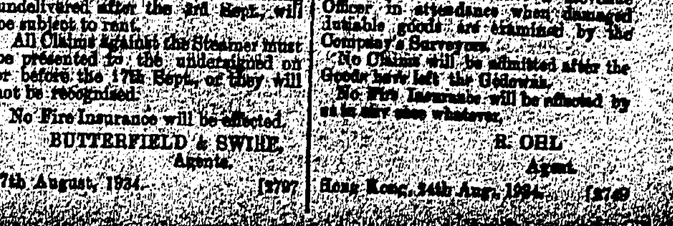

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No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the steamer's Godown, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 3rd Sept., will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 17th Sept., or they will not be recognised.

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R. OHL
Agent.

Hong Kong, 24th Aug., 1934. [2749

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				Banks				
$1,735	...	...		H.K. Banks	...	...	...	$1,740
...	...	...	£13½	Do. (London)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	£16⅔	Chartered Banks	...	...	...	£16½
...	...	...	£31	Mercantile Bks. "A"	...	...	...	£31
...	...	...	£13½	Do. "C"	...	...	...	£13½
...	...	...	$84	Bank of East Asia	$84	...	...	...
...	...	...		N. C. & S. Banks	...	...	...	$5.80
...	...	...	$20	Am. O. Fin. Corp: S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$4	Ch. Fin. Corp. Ord. S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$5	Do Pref. S.	...	...	...	...
				Insurances				
...	...	...	$290	Canton Insurances	...	...	...	$287½
$1.20	...	...		Underwriters	...	$1.25	...	...
...	$550	$545	...	Union Insurances	...	...	...	$550
...	...	...	$510	China Fires	...	...	...	$550
...	...	...	$245	H.K. Fires	...	$350	...	...
...	...	...	6	International Assce. S.	...	...	...	...
				Shipping				
...	...	...	$40.65	Douglases	...	...	...	$42
...	...	...	$7	Steamboats	...	...	...	$7
...	...	...	$30	Indos (pref.)	...	...	...	$30
...	...	...	$33	Do. (def.)	...	...	...	$35
...	...	...	47 6	Shells	...	...	...	47/6
...	...	...	$13.	Watercarts	...	...		$13½
				Mining				
...	...	61½/62	ct.	Amtamoks	61 cts.	...	61/61½	cts.
...	...	...	$36½	Balatcos	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	44 ct.	Baguio Gold	41 cts.	...	...	...
...	...	...	$41	Benguet Consolidated	...	...	...	$41½
...	...	...	15 cts.	Do. Exploration	...	...	...	18 cts.
...	...	...	2 cts.	Do. Goldfield	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	12 cts.	Big Wedge	...	...	...	13 cts.
...	...	...	24 cts	Gold River	20 cts.	22 cts.	...	...
...	...	...	$2	Gold Creek	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$2½	Ipo Mining	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$5	Itogons	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	26/3	Kallans	...	...	...	22/6
...	...	...	$17½	Langkats (single) S.	...	...	...	$18
...	...	...	55	Explorations	...	...	...	$5
...	...	...	$6½	Shanghai Loans S.	...	...	...	$6
...	...	...	$13.10	Raubs	...	...	...	$13½
...	...	...	$5	Venezuela Gold Flds.	5½	...	...	...
				Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.				
...	$112	...	...	H.K. & K. Wharves	...	...	...	$109
$1.50	...	...		Providents (old)	$1.60	...	...	...
...	...	...	50 cts	Do. (new)	...	40 cts.	...	...
...	...	...	$14½	H.K. & W. Docks	...	...	...	$14½
...	...	...	...	S. China Motors' A	...	...	...	$2
...	...	...	...	Do. "B"	...	...	...	$2
...	...	...	$117	Shanghai Docks S.	...	...	...	$115
...	...	...	$4½	New Engineerings S.	...	...	...	$5½
...	...	...	$312½	Hongkews (old) S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$310	Do. (new) S.	...	...	...	...
				Lands, Hotels, and Buildings				
...	...	...	$5.55	H.K. Hotels	...	$5.60	...	...
$52½	...	...	...	H.K Lands S.	$51	ex div.	...	...
...	...	...	$27	Shanghai Lands S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$14	Metropolitan Lands	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$5.20	H.K. Realties	$4.75	$4.85	...	...
...	...	...	$15½	China Do S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$137	Do. Debentures S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$10.40	Humphreys	...	...	...	$10
...	...	...	...	New Asia Hotel	...	...	...	$45
...	...	...	$140	Asia Realties "A" S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$20	Do. "B" S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...		Chinese Estates	...	...	...	...
$85	...	...		**Cotton Mills**				
...	...	...	...	Ewos S.	$11	...	...	...
$10.90	...	...	$74	S'hai Cottons(old) S.	...	...	...	$73½
...	...	...	$43½	Do. (new) S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$11½	Zoong Sings S.	...	...	...	$11½
...	...	...	$55	Wing On Textiles(S.)	...	...	...	$55
				Public Utilities				
...	...	...	$20.60	Tramways	...	...	$20.60	...
...	...	...	$15	Peak Trams (old)	...	...	...	$14
...	...	...	$7	Do. (new)	...	...	...	$6
...	...	...	$102½	Star Ferries	$99½	...	...	...
$21	...	...	...	Yaumati Ferries	...	...	...	$21½
$8.70	...	...	...	China Lights (old)	$8 70	...	$8.75	...
$8.30	...	...	...	Do. (new)	$8.30	...	...	...
$71½	...	...	...	H.K. Electrics	$71½	$72	...	...
...	...	...	$25	Macao do.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$2	Sandakan Lights	...	...	...	...
$24.10	...	...	...	Telephones (old)	$24	...	...	...
...	$11.80	...	...	Do. (new)	...	...	...	$11.90
...	...	...	$13.20	China Buses S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	5/-	Tractions	...	...	...	...
17/3	...	...	...	Do. (pref.)	...	...	...	...
				Industrials				
...	...	...	$11	Malabon Sugars	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$21	Caldbeck, (ord.) S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$23	Macgregors (prof.) S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$2.70	Canton Ices	...	...	...	$2½
...	...	...	$2.60	Cements	$2.60	...	$2.60	...
...	...	...	$4.35	Ropes	...	...	...	4.15
				Miscellaneous				
...	...	...	$25.70	Dairy Farms	...	$25.60	...	...
...	...	...	$1	Der A Wings	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$4	Amusements	...	...	...	$3½
...	...	...	$7½	Ch. E'tainments	...	$7.60	...	...
...	...	...	$1.80	Constructions, (old)	$1 65	...	...	...
...	...	...	78 cts.	Do. (new)	78 cts.	...	...	...
...	...	...	$4.15	Lane Crawfords	...	...	...	$4.10
...	...	...	$21	Mackintoshs	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Nanyang Tobacco	$4½	...	...	...
...	...	...	$10	Sinceres	...	...	...	$10
...	...	...	$5.60	Watsons	...	...	...	$5.80
...	...	...	70 cts.	Wm. Powells	...	...	...	55 cts.
...	...	...	$2	M. Greyhounds	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$1.30	S. C. Enterprises	$1.30	...	...	...
...	...	...	>2	United Theatres S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	88 %	Ch.G.& 1926G.3 Bds.	86%	...	...	...
7½%	prem.	...	...	H.K. Govt. 4% Loans	...	...	...	7¼%
2½%	perm	...		Do. 3½%	2½%	...	3½%	...
...	...	...	$7½	Wallace Harper	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$110	H.K. Wing On	...	...	...	$120
...	...	...	...	S'hai Do.	...	...	...	$115

H.K. Sharebrokers' Association

BUYERS

Bank of East Asia, $88½.
Douglases, $41½.
Antamoks, 61 cts.
Baguio Gold, 41 cts.
Vens Goldfields, $42.
Hotels, $5.50.
Lands, $51xd.
Realtys, $4.80.
Ewos, $11.
Providents (old), $1.55.
Trams, $20½.
Ferries, $99½.
Lights (old), $8.70.
Lights (new), $8.40.
Electrics, $72.
Telephones (old), $24.
Cements, $2.55.
Constructions (old), $1.65.
Constructions (new), 78 cts.
Gold $ Bonds, 86%.
Govt. Loan 3½%, 2½%.

SELLERS

Hotels, $5.60.
Wharves, $110.
Trams, $20.70.
Lights (old), $8.80.
Electrics, $72½.
Cements, $2.65.
Entertainments, $7.60.

SALES

Underwriters, $1.20.
Antamoks, 61½ cts.
Hotels, $5.50.
Providents (old), $1.57½/1.60.
Trams, $20.60.
Ferries, $100.
Lights (old), $8.75/8.80.
Cements, $2.60.
Govt. Loan 3½%, $2½%.

NEW YORK STOCK AND COMMODITY QUOTATIONS

AMERICAN ORIENTAL FINANCE CORPORATION AND S. E. LEVY & CO.

New York, Aug. 27.

The American Oriental Finance Corporation's report through their New York agents, Messrs. E. A. Pierce & Co., states:—

Stocks:—We think further temporary hesitation is possible.

Wheat:—There was heavy and considerable selling by tired holders. The tone of the cotton and the corn markets was a contributing factor.

Cotton:—Hedge sales out-weigh the off-take by mills. Opinion differs concerning the material benefit to the crops in Texas and Oklahoma of the recent rains. There are boll-weavil complaints from the South-east. The cotton-goods' market was quiet.

Rubber:—Buying was mostly by dealers. After the opening, the tone was quietly steady, but for the rest of the day until closing there was practically no change. There was no particular news and sentiment locally was bullish.

Flash:—The Annalyst Index of Business Activity is 78.5 compared with 77.8 last week.

New York, Aug. 27.

Messrs. S. E. Levy & Company's report, through their New York agents, Messrs. White, Weld & Co., states:—

A feeling of uncertainty continue, but there has been nothing definite to go upon and we feel that a conservative attitude is justified. Business done 530,000 shares.

Bonds:—High-grades are easier, but second-grades and Government issues are off and inactive.

Wheat:—Hedge-pressure, principally from Winnipeg, was a depressing factor. Outside long-interests are retaining their holdings, but new buying is small. Saturday's sales 14,444,000 bushels.

Corn:—Prices declined in sympathy with wheat. Business done 20,063,000 bushels.

Rubber:—Offerings for actual rubber were high thus lending support to the futures market. Business done: 251 lots.

Cotton:—There was some selling, which was attributed to co-operative interests. Trade buyers are still holding off.

NEW YORK MID-DAY PRICES

The following mid-day prices were received yesterday from New York by Messrs. American Oriental Finance Corporation and S. E. Levy & Co.

COMMODITIES

	Aug. 27 Close	Open	Aug. 28 10.30	11.00	11.30	Mid-day
New York-London	506 1/8	505½	505½	505⅝	505⅞	505⅞
Cottot: October	13.09-11	13.11	13.13	13.16	13.20	13.20
Cotton: December	13.25-26	13.26	13.29	13.30	13.31	13.31
Silk: December	1.15½	—	—	114B	113B	113B
Rubber: September	15.73-74	—	15.68	15.73	15.69	15.67
Rubber: December	16.15-17	—	16.09	16.10	16.09	16.09
Wheat: September	102¼-⅜	—	101⅜	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
Wheat: December	103¼-103	—	102¼-⅜	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
Corn: September	77⅜-½	—	77	77⅛	76⅞	76⅞
Corn: December	79¼-79	—	78¼-½	78⅛	78⅛	78⅛
Winnipeg Wheat: Oct.	82⅜	—	—	81⅛	81⅛	81⅛
Industrtal Averages	94.46					

STOCKS

American Smelting	38⅛	—	37⅛	37⅛	37⅛	37⅛
Anaconda Copper	12⅜					
Auburn	25⅛	24⅞	24⅛	24⅛	24⅛	24⅞
Baltimore and Ohio	17⅛	—	17⅛	17⅛	16⅞	16⅞
J. I. Case	43⅛					
Consolidated Gas of N.Y.	28⅞	—	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛
Du Pont	92⅛	—	91	91	91	90⅞
El. Bond and Share	11⅛	10⅞	11⅛B	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛
General Motors	30⅛	—	30	30⅛	30	30⅛
Inter. Tel. and Tel.	10⅞	—	10⅜	10⅛	10⅛	10⅜
McIntyre Porcu.	46⅛	—	—	46⅛	46⅛	46⅛
Montgomery W.	24⅛	24⅛	24⅛	24⅛	24⅛	24⅛
Nat. Distillers	20⅛	20	20	20⅛	20⅛	21
N. Y. Central	23⅛	—	23	23	23	23⅛
Socony Vacuum	15	—	14⅛	14⅛	14⅛	14⅛
Standard Oil Co. of N.J.	44⅞	—	44⅞	44⅞	44⅞	44⅞
Un. Aircraft	15	14⅛	14⅛	14⅛	14⅞	14⅞
U. S. Steel	35⅜	—	35	35⅛	35⅛	35⅛
Westinghouse El.	33⅞	33⅜	33⅛	33⅛	33⅛	33⅜

COMMODITY PRICES

New York Cotton

New York, Aug. 27.

	August 25 Closing	August 27 Opening	Closing
Oct.	13.21	13.14 13.15	13.09-13.11
Dec.	13.36	13.30 13.28	13.25 13.26
Jan.	13.40	13.34 13.33	13.29 13.29
Mar.	13.48	13.42 13.43	13.36 13.36
May	13.57	13.52 13.52	13.44 13.46
July	13.65	13.60 13.61	13.51 13.51
Spot	13.35		13.25

New York Rubber

Sept.	15.70	15.73	15.76	15.73	15.74
Oct.	15.84	15.89	15.89	15.87	15.87
Dec.	16.15	16.21	16.23	16.15	16.17
Jan.	16.28	16.33	16.33	16.28	16.28
Mar.	16.56	16.64	16.66	16.55	16.66
May	16.82	16.92	16.92	16.83	16.83

Total sales: 251 lots

Chicago Wheat

Sept.	104	103½	103½	102½	102½
Dec.	105	104½	104½	103½	103
May	106½	106½	106⅜	105½	105

Saturday's sales: 14,444,000 bushels

Chicago Corn

Sept.	79½	78⅜	78⅜	77⅜	77⅜
Dec.	80⅞	80⅜	80½	79⅛	79
May	83½	83⅜	83½	82	81⅞

Total sales: 20,063,000 bushels

Winnipeg Wheat

Oct.	84½	84½	84⅛	82⅛	82⅛
Dec.	85½	85⅜	85½	83⅛	83⅞
May	89½	89½	89½	87½	87⅜

New York Sugar

Sept.	1.72	1.72	1.72	1.72	1.73
Dec.	1.81	1.81	1.81	1.82	1.82
Mar.	1.87	1.87	1.88	1.88	1.88

Total sales: 43,000 tons

New York Silk

Sept.	1.11½	1.11	1.11½	1.11	1.11
Dec.	1.16	1.15	1.15½	1.15	1.15½
Feb.	1.16	1.15	1.16	1.15	1.15½

Total sales: 217 lots

S. E. Levy & Co.'s Cables

The following cabled reports were furnished by Messrs. S. E. & Co. last night:—

American Weather Report

(New York Aug. 28, 6.15 p.m.)

Cotton:—The weather in the Western Cotton Belt is showery. At Galveston there has been downpours caused by hurricane. There has been storm warnings on the Texas coast from Port O'Connor to Freeport. The balance of the Cotton Belt is unsettled.

Grain:—There has been showers in the Midwest. The weather conditions in the balance of the Grain Belt are unchanged.

Market Reports

Favourable factors before the opening of the markets:—The volume of business continues to dwindle on setbacks and the fact that the N.R.A. will begin re-grouping of the industries under Code.

Unfavourable factors were—Steel operations continue to recede. The Labour unrest continues to be very disturbing, with the threat of a textile strike broadening.

The market is quite easy, with losses confined within fractions.

THE EXCHANGE MARKET

MESSRS. KOZA BROS. REPORT

America was apparently not in the Silver market yesterday, but the market was supported by speculative interests. China sold. The market closed steady. Prices were 1/16 up at 21 9/16 for both deliveries.

Sterling opened at 5.06¼ and also closed at that rate.

Market

Steady to strong at the opening but the robustness was not fully maintained later.

Sterling

Sellers at the opening at 1/6 17/32 with buyers at 1/6 19/32. The sellers rate was put up to 1/6 9/16 and later 1/6 19/32 at which rate a small business was done for cash and also to a small extent for October at 1/6½, and subsequently 1/6 19/32 for September. At the lunch hour there were sellers at 1/6 9/16, buyers at 1/6 19/32.

U.S. Dollars

On offer at 39¼ to 39 3/16 and subsequently at 39¼ which rate, however, was unobtainable later when wanted. In the interval business was done at 39¼ for October. At 1 o'clock the tone was 39 3/16 sellers, 39¼ buyers.

Yen

129¼.

Guilders

56¾.

Shanghai Dollars

110 13/16, subsequently 110¾.

Shanghai Market

Sterling 1/4 11/16 for near, 1/4 3/4 for Forward, but the tone was steadier later, near delivery being offered also at that rate. Dollars 35¼ for near and later 35 5/16.

IN THE AFTERNOON

The market for a greater part of the afternoon was without interest.

Sterling

Sterling was wanted at 1/6 19/32 and sellers at 1/6 9/16 but later 1/6 9/16 was not on offer and there was possibility of business being done at that rate. Closing selling tone 1/6 17/32.

Shanghai Dollars

Dollar were done early in the morning at 39 5/16 for October but later 39¼ was probably the buying rate for that month and 39 3/16 was inquired for September without result. At the close only 39¼ was obtainable August-September.

Shanghai Market

Unchanged in Sterling, Dollars 1/16 easier.

LATE NIGHT CABLES

The following cables were received last night by The American Oriental Finance Corporation.

London Forecast

London Forecast of the probable trend of the N.Y. markets:—

While intervention on the part of President Roosevelt in connection with the textile and rayon dispute is likely to allay fears of a strike in those industries, thus calling a halt to yesterday's downward trend, it is generally anticipated that trading on Wall Street will be on a small scale, owing to the cautious attitude adopted by operators.

On the commodity markets, wheat prices will probably open lower and leaderless, but the fundamental position is strong; rubber prices are expected to open easier. A higher, but leaderless cotton market is anticipated. Uncertainties surrounding rains, strike and boll-weevil are confusing sentiment, though Messrs. Sloan & Co. say that a strike is inconceivable on September 4th or at any other date.

A.O.F.C. New York Report

The market seems likely to continue dull awaiting Morganthau's speech to-night.

Cotton demand is small on account of textile strike uncertainties but there is no pressure to sell.

With the approach of Labour Day, a dull routine market seems to be expected at least until the Autumn business trend is more clearly defined.

London Silver

Spot:—21-9/16 unchanged.
Forward:—21-9/16 unchanged.
America and Speculators bought; China sold. Market steady.

Night Quotations of New York Stocks and Commodities

Our offices are open from 10 p.m. until midnight, every night except Sundays and New York holidays.

The opening quotations of a selected list of New York Stocks and of Commodities will be received in our offices at approximately 10-minute intervals.

Thus, our clients have, on the same evening, quotations for the morning session of the New York Stock Exchange.

Advices of executions on orders placed during the night sessions are received within the half-hour.

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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

THROUGH REUTER'S

AMERICAN ORIENTAL FINANCE CORPORATION AND S. E. LEVY & CO.

QUOTATIONS

New York: August 2.

	High	Low	Last Close	Today's Close	Change
New York/London Cross-rate	5.06¼	5.05½	5.06⅛	5.05½	⅛ off steady
New York Cotton—December	13.33	13.20	13.30	13.26	0.10 off
New York Rubber—December	16.23	16.15	16.15	16.17	0.02 up
Chicago Wheat —December	104⅛	103	105	103	2 off
Chicago Corn —December	80⅛	79	80⅛	79	1⅛ off
Silver—Official	—	—	49⅛	49⅝	⅛ up

		High—1933/34	Low:	Aug. 25.	Aug. 27.	Change
Dow Jones Averages.						
30	Industrials	110.74	50.16	95.71	94.46	1.25 off
20	Rails	56.94	25.43	38.42	37.64	0.78 off
20	Utilities	37.72	19.33	21.72	21.16	0.56 off
40	Bonds	95.48	73.31	93.49	93.42	0.07 off
11	Commodity Index	65.45	41.98	62.65	62.12	0.53 off

Div. $ per Sh.		1933/34 High	Low	Last Sale Aug. 25.	Aug. 27.
3.00	Air Reduction	113	47½	$100¾	$99 bid
6.00	Allied Chemical & Dye	160	70⅝	133½	133
4.00	American Can	107½	49½	100½	99
—	American Radiator	19	4⅝	14½	14
—	American Smelting	55½	10⅜	39	38½
9.00	American Tel. & Tel.	134½	86⅜	113½	112½
5.00	American Tobacco "B"	94½	60½	79½	78½
1.00	American Waterworks	43½	5	17⅞	16½
—	Anaconda Copper Mining	23⅝	5	13⅜	12⅝
—	Auburn	84½	24½	25⅞	25½
—	Bendix Aviation	23⅜	6½	13½	13⅜
1.60	Borden Company	37⅛	18	28½	26½
—	J. I Case	103½	30½	44⅜	43½
—	Canadian Pacific	20⅞	7½	14⅛	14½
0.50	Caterpillar Co.	33	5½	28⅜	27
1.40	Chase National Bank	40⅜	15⅞	25⅜bid	25 bid
1.00	Chrysler Motors	80⅜	7⅜	35⅜	34½
3.40	Consolidated Gas of N.Y.	64⅜	31½	29½	28⅞
—	Curtiss Wright	5½	1½	3	3
2.00	Du Pont de Nemours	103⅞	32½	93⅜	92½
3.00	Eastman Kodak	100⅞	46	101	100
—	Electric Auto-Lite Co.	31⅜	10	22½	21½
6% s.	Electric Bond & Share	48	9⅞	12⅜	11½
—	Electric Power and Light	15⅜	2½	4½	4½
0.40	General Electric	30½	10½	19⅞	19⅜
1.60	General Foods	39½	21	30	29½
1.00	General Motors	42	10	31⅜	30½
1.00	Gillette Safety	21½	7⅜	12⅜	11⅞
1.20	Gold Dust	27⅜	12	19	19
0.60	International Harvester	46⅞	13⅜	29	28½
0.10	International Nickel	29	6⅜	26½	25½
—	International Tel. & Tel.	21⅜	5½	11	10⅞
4.00	Liggett & Myers "B"	99⅜	49½	98½	98½
1.00	Loew's Inc.	36½	8½	47½	46½
2.00	Mc Intyre Porcupine	50½	18	25½	24½
—	Montgomery Ward	35⅜	8⅜	33½	33½
2.00	National Biscuit	60⅜	31½	23½bid	23½bid
1.00	National City Bank	48⅞	16½	17⅜	17⅜
1.20	National Dairy Products	25½	10½	20⅜	20½
—	National Distillers	41⅜	20⅛	24⅛	23½
—	N. Y. Central	58½	14	15½	15
0.60	Otis Elevator	25½	10½	16½bid	16½
1.50	Pacific Gas & Electric	31⅞	15	3⅜	3⅜
—	Packard Motors	6⅜	1½	25½	25½
0.50	Pennsylvania Railway	42⅜	12⅜	6	6
—	Radio Corpn.	12⅜	3	38⅜	38
—	Sears Roebuck	51⅜	12½	15½	15
0.40	Socony-Vacuum Corpn.	19⅜	6	20	19½
—	Southern Pacific	30⅜	11½	20⅜	20½
1.00	Standard Brands	37⅜	13⅜	9½	8½
—	Standard Gas	23½	5½		
1.00	Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey	50⅜	22½	45½	44⅞
1.00	Texas Corporation	31½	10⅜	24½	24½
0.12½	Trans-America	9⅜	3⅜	6½	6
1.00	Union Carbide & Carbon	61⅞	19⅜	44	43½
0.00	Union Pacific	133	61½	104½	102½
—	United Air and Transport	16⅜	10½	15⅜	15
—	United Corporation	14⅜	4	4⅜	4⅜
—	United States Steel	67½	22⅜	35⅞	35⅜
—	Westinghouse E. & M.	58⅜	9⅜	34⅛	33⅞

NEWS FROM CHINA

THE SILVER SITUATION

Statement By Dr. H. H. Kung

Kuling, Aug. 19.

Dr. H. H. Kung, Minister of Finance, has authorized the issuance of the following statement:—

"Contrary to the rumours that have disturbed the Shanghai markets during the past few days the Central Government is not contemplating the imposition of restrictions on export of silver.

"The movement of specie is a natural phenomenon of international commercial and financial relations. If an adverse balance of payments develops out of these relations it must be met by movements of specie, if other means are not available. With a view to facilitating the adjustments of such balances and to maintaining international credit, the Government will give all possible protection and assistance to legitimate trading and financial operations.

Situation Better

"It should be observed, however, that the situation is better than it has sometimes been represented. The import trade has declined recently in greater proportion than the export trade, so that the adverse merchandise balance is now declining.

"Moreover, it must always be remembered that only a comparatively small part of the merchandise trade balance requires to be met by shipments of silver and gold, and an even smaller proportion by shipment of silver itself.

"The Government is giving serious and continous consideration to the problems now confronting the markets and is prepared to protect and encourage the useful activities of the merchants and bankers of China regardless of nationality. The Government confidently expects their sincere cooperation in its efforts towards the maintenance of public confidence and the prevention of abuse thereof by speculative manipulation."—*Kuo Min.*

STUDENTS LEAVE

Nanking, Aug. 17.

The 24 students who are proceeding to Britain on post-graduate scholarships provided by the Board of Trustees for the British Boxer Indemnity Refund were given a farewell reception yesterday by President Wang Ching Wei and Minister Chu Chia Hua, Chairman of the Board. Both urged the students to apply themselves closely to their studies in order to prepare for future service to the Party and the State.—*Kuo Min.*

CHINESE ENGINEERS MEET

Tsinan, Aug. 21.

The 4th annual meeting of the Chinese Engineering Society was opened here yesterday under the chairmanship of Mr. Lin Chi Ching and with 145 members in attendance.

Besides the inaugural address of Mr. Lin, addresses were also made by Mr. Chang Hung-lieh, Provincial Commissioner of Reconstruction for Shantung, Mr. Wen Cheng Lieh, Mayor of Tsinan, and Messrs. Shen Tzu Fang and Hwa Nan Kuei.

In the afternoon session, various papers on technical subjects were presented by delegates.—*Kuo Min.*

DR. WELLINGTON KOO AND W. W. YEN

Leaves For Nanking

Shanghai, Aug. 28.

Mr. W. W. Yen and Dr. Wellington Koo arrived in Shanghai from Tsingtao this morning.

Dr. Wellington Koo, who called on Mr. T. V. Soong at 9 a.m., interviewed, said that he and Mr. Yen are leaving for Nanking this evening to see Mr. Wang Ching Wei and it is possible that they will go on to Kuling to see Chiang Kai-shek after their Nanking visit.

He stated that the date has not yet been fixed for his return to Paris.—*Reuter.*

TROLLEY CARS

New Innovation In Nanking

Nanking, Aug. 17.

Plans for the operation of trolley cars on Nanking streets are making rapid headway. The routes have already been marked and according to recommendations by the Nanking Municipal Government four stations will first be established with Hsinkaikow as the main station. As soon as the plans are approved by the Ministry of Industries, it is learned that the cars will be ordered from abroad and a machine factory will be established at Nanking.—*Kuo Min.*

KWANGTUNG PROVINCIAL BANK LOANS

Debtors Asked To Repay

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, Aug. 28.

The Kwangtung Provincial Bank is pressing its debtors for the repayment of loans borrowed from it about a year ago. The total amount given out amounted to $2,500,000 in notes of the Bank, but so far only $500,000 have been repaid.

Demand for repayment was made three months ago, but no pressure was laid as refund would be made in paper money which was then valued at 90 cents to the dollar. As the notes now stabilised and as the date of maturity has long passed, the Bank is again demanding payment.

It is learned that the Kwangtung Provincial Government will shortly announce a day on which the loans have to be repaid, otherwise the collateral securities will be sold in satisfaction of the debt. Although the value of securities has gone down, there is a wide margin left between the amount of the loan and the market value of the security.

Among the debtors are small bankers, silk merchants, and importers. They find it difficult to raise money owing to the financial stringency in the money market. There is plenty of money hoarding up owing to the fact that wealthy people do not wish to circulate their money in local markets during the present period.

CANTON HARBOUR DEPARTMENT

New Rules For Transportation Of Cattle

Canton, Aug. 28.

With a view to ensuing comfort and safety to the passengers as well as to the sheep and cattle on board the steamer, the authorities of the Canton Harbour Department recently decided to make three rules for shipping transportation purposes.

These new rules have already been submitted to the Canton Reconstruction Department and after they have been approved, they will be distributed among all the Canton shipping companies and ship masters for adoption.

The new rules are as follows:

1—All cattle, which are on board a steamer, must be kept at a fixed place and to be separated from the passengers.

2—The place for the keeping of cattle must be fenced with bamboo poles in order to prevent the cattle from going astray or running amok.

3—The place for the keeping of cattle must be at the lowest deck of the steamer.

GERMANY TO CONSTRUCT RAILWAY IN CHINA

Yushan To Pingsiang

Berlin, Aug. 28.

According to the newspapers, a Sino-German syndicate, consisting of Otto Wolf and a group headed by the Bank of China, has concluded a contract with the Nanking Government to construct a railway from Yushun to Pingsiang, all the material to be supplied by Germany.—*Reuter.*

NEW CUSTOMS OFFICES

Along The Great Wall

Nanking, Aug. 18.

It is learned that the Ministry of Finance has decided to establish a number of Customs offices at the various Passes along the Great Wall, including Kupeikou, Hsifengkou, Lengkou, Chailingkou and Yiyuankou, which will be formally opened on the 22nd inst., when duties will begin to be collected on goods passing through these Passes. These offices will be under the jurisdiction of the Tientsin Customs with Mr. Chang Yung Nien, assistant Director of the Customs administration of the Ministry of Finance, in charge of the affairs stationed at Peiping. Mr. Pang To Lien has been appointed Director of the Customs office at Kupeikou, while appointments of the directors of the offices at the other Passes will also be shortly announced.—*Kuo Min.*

TO-DAY'S RADIO PROGRAMME

(Continued from Page 4)

BERLIN PROGRAMME

9 p.m., Dja Announcement (German, English)
German Folk Song
Preview of Programme (German, English)
9.15 p.m., "Speed"
Variations on a Theme of the Age
9.45 p.m., Latest News (English)
10 p.m., From the Reichssender Cologne: Hour of the World. Folk Songs from the Rhine-Country.
11 p.m., Latest News (German)
11.15 p.m., Music and Timely Topics
11.45 p.m., Latest News (English)
12 midnight, Dja Sign Off (German, English)

DAVENTRY PROGRAMME

7 p.m., Time Signal from Big Ben. Reginald Foort at the organ of the Regal, Wimbledon.
7.45 p.m., The Scottish Studio Orchestra, directed by Guy Daines, and vocalist, from an Edinburgh studio. (Time Signal from Greenwich at 12.00).

ANY LETTERS FOR YOU?

Unclaimed Correspondence At The Post Office

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Canton Knitting Co., Charle & Co., China National Aviation Corp.
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Ga Lan Um. D. Gibson, R. E. Goodman (s.s. Tower Abbey).
M. H. Hahn, Hong Kong Co-operative Society, Hong Kong's Holly House of Help.
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Unclaimed Radio Telegrams

August 15.—Cheong Fat, 88, Bonham Strand from Hanoi.
August 16.—0103 from Ying Kow.
August 17.—Wah Foo from Los Angeles, Calif.
August 17.—Tung Ng from Los Angeles Calif.
August 21.—Vijjakitch, Nippon Yushen Kaisha from Bangkok.
August 21.—Chan Chak A. Tack from Berlin.

THE SCIENCE OF RADIATION

(Continued from Column 7)

same finger print, is it not still less likely that the resultants of the myriad inner movements be the same? Investigation showed that they were not. To each type of body—gold, silver, iron, bronze, corresponded a special oscillation or rotation number. An expert could detect not only the presence and the nature of the body, but could discern its mass, temperature, and other qualities. In the early days of radio groping men were delighted when they got their transmitter to ring a little bell in another room of the building. They did not dream of talking across continents, a commonplace to-day.

The Radiesthesic group began to ask if it were possible to preserve the radiations and make them act at a distance. For instance could we, without consulting Ice House Street, know in Hong Kong if, and where, there was gold in Shanghai or if there was danger of striking silver on the outskirts of Timbuctoo! They found the possibility in the photograph. A photograph of the object preserves the peculiar rays and the pendulum held by man's hand over the photograph of a gold mine swings just as it would swing over the mine.

Aid To Mining Engineers.

If the area to be explored is big, a photograph is taken from an aeroplane, giving an acurate contour of the region. Over the surface the diviner moves a finely pointed pencil or needle to serve as feeler in his left hand; in the right he has the testing pendulum. The moment that the pencil passes over the position of the metal sought for the pendulum begins to oscillate. It was quite by accident that Mr. Mermet, one of the ablest exponents of the science, stumbled on this method, a method which he has since used with surprising success for unearthing secrets far from his home in Switzerland.

There is nothing new in the detection of the presence of certain metals by radiation. But the discovery that a photograph could wrap up these radiations and be used at will was entirely new. The science, as I have said, is in its infancy: we do not know what far-reaching results its development may lead to. A striking case was the exact location by M. Mermet of the spot where the de Nobile aeroplane fell and not merely the location of the aeroplane but the quite unexpected information that the survivors of the accident had gone off in two separate groups. Almost uncanny, it not, suggestive of the witch of Endor?

The diviner, with his pendulum, can tell us then whether we have gold or silver in our locked drawers. A young lady, if she was a diviner could tell whether the engagement ring was pure gold or guilded alloy. But can he go further than an inventory of our purses or our desks? Can he probe where even a medical diagnoser may fail? He claims to be able to do so.

Personal Radiation

We are not surprised that gold should radiate but, willy nilly, the dourest old pessimist must radiate too! As effectively as the magnet every man creates around him his radiation field.

1. There is a personal radiation, not found in any other. It will survive for a time in objects which we have used.

2. There is a special radiation, characteristic of sex.

3. There is a radiation proper to each sound organ of the body. If any organ does not cause its normal wave movement, it is affected by disease. Thus Mr. de Belinay tells us that if the brain, instead of 10, gives 80 or more oscillations, it is time to call in the neurologist.

Aiding The Doctor

Finally parasitic organisms have their own vibrations which an expert may perceive. It is in this field that the diviner may in cases, be more accurate in his diagnosis than the physician. Thus from a photograph sent him of a gentleman, M. Mermet diagnosed cancer of the intestines, and marked on the returned photograph the spot affected; a leading specialist had rejected the idea of cancer. The diviner was right; the surgeon was wrong.

What About Character

To most of us a method of investigation which, without opening our desks, can make a certain inventory of them; which even from photograph can locate treasures; which, in certain cases, can probe where the doctor may be baffled, such a method must appear as indiscreet. Is it possible that it could carry its indiscretions further? Could it reveal character traits? To this query there is, so far, no satisfying reply. A priori there is no reason why it should not. Hand-writing reveals many traits. A man with a liver who is known to his associates as Sunny Jim is ironically so known. If the liver, the heart, the lungs, the state of the brain cells, have so much effect on character, the peculiar radiations which come from them might well reveal to one who had the power of reading them an inclination to brightness, to sourness, to irritability, to excitability. Whether the experimentalists who claim for their coordinated conclusions the hallmark of a new science Radiesthesie, will arrive so far, only the future can tell.

Love And Prejudice

I may, however, close with what seems to me a legitimate conclusion from the facts they put before us. We all experience, on meeting our fellow men, a movement favourable or unfavourable practically at first sight. Reason plays no part in it; in fact when we begin to reason about it, we tell ourselves that the prejudice arising is quite unreasonable, when we do experience an immediate dislike. It is unreasoning but, from the nature of radiations, it is, perhaps, not unnatural. Only certain combinations of notes will produce musical harmony, others will produce discord: all depends on the wave blending. If the radiations emitted from other human bodies do not happily blend with mine, if they produce interference, is it not to be expected that an uncomfortable feeling be caused, tending to produce dislike? The reflection may help to make us more tolerant, more kindly disposed towards others. What has originally lead me to dislike them may be nothing more than mere waves, over which they have no control. From myself similar waves are emanating as irritating to them as theirs are to me. Starting with a prejudice it is easy to find justification of my initial attitude by subsequent criticism of their conduct. So can we drift from the cause of peace into social divisions, little club animosities, circular tiffs instead of Rotary tiffins, much more easily than if we had a powder magazine in our back yard.

Harmony Everywhere

Year by year man finds out a little more about some phase of the universe around him or the little world within him. The more he explores, the more beauty he finds, the more harmony, the more unity in the plan, all leading him as the wonders known to them led the prophets of old, to recognise the greatness of the Creator, and the infinite wisdom of His plan.

SIR THOMAS SOUTHORN

Joins The Rotary Club

Sir Thomas Southorn has accepted the Rotary Club's invitation to become an Honorary Member and yesterday attended the Club's weekly luncheon for the first time in the role of an honorary member.

In welcoming Sir Thomas, the President of the Club, Mr. M. K. Lo said: "It gives me the greatest pleasure to extend a warm welcome on your behalf to our newest Honorary Member, Sir Thomas Southorn. I shall read you Sir Thomas' letter to our Honorary Secretary. It is as follows: 'Very many thanks for your letter of the 23rd instant informing me that I have been elected an Honorary Member of the Rotary Club of Hong Kong. I shall be glad if you will convey my thanks to the directors for the great honour they have conferred on me. I accept the honorary membership with utmost pleasure and look forward to attending your weekly meetings as often as my engagements will permit.'"

Mr. Lo then invited Sir Thomas to say a few words to the meeting.

Sir Thomas Southorn: Mr. President and Fellow Rotarians (Hear, hear and applause). I have to thank you very much indeed for the honour you have done me in electing me an honorary member of the Rotary Club of Hong Kong and you, Mr. President, for the very nice things you have said, and you, fellow members for the very hearty way you have received them.

I have visited your Club so often that I feel a special pleasure in coming here to-day as one of yourselves.

A Confession

The Rotary Club, I may make a confession at once, is not one which I have always regarded with enthusiasm because my earliest connection with Rotary was not a very happy one. Some years ago I happened to be visiting on business a certain town in England, but had not taken the precaution to have rooms reserved beforehand at the only decent hotel in the place. Upon arrival at the hotel I found a large number of people wearing a small badge which seemed to me to be belong to some cycling club (laughter) and, to my intense disgust, they had booked every room in the hotel and I and my wife were forced to go to an indifferent hostelry.

But, fellow Rotarians, age and experience has in this case brought a certain amount of wisdom (laughter), because I have since learned to appreciate the very great power for good that Rotary Clubs are and I have a special friendly feeling for the Hong Kong Rotary Club, because when it undertook to do social service, it adopted as its own protege, my own pet child, the Hong Kong Children's Playgrounds. That gives me an added pleasure in accepting your very kind invitation to become an honorary member.

I would like to avail myself of this opportunity of telling you how much the Children's Playgrounds Association appreciates the good work that has been done by the Hong Kong Rotary Club.

I hope to have the pleasure of joying many Tuesday afternoon luncheons with you here. (Applause).

"WHY WE ADMIRE THE ENGLISH"

Members of the Singapore Rotary Club had the privilege of hearing something of the life and work of Cecil Rhodes and of the Rhodes Scholarships from the Rev. Mr. Means' an American Rhodes Scholar.

Mr. Means paid a glowing tribute to the British people and expressed the opinion that Anglo-American amity was the greatest guarantee of world peace. In the course of his address he said:

"As an American who has enjoyed the benefits and privileges of a Rhodes scholarship for three years, I can speak feelingly of the beneficial change that an American experiences as a Rhodes scholar at Oxford.

"The American scholars settle down adapting themselves to English life and try to participate to the fullest extent in the various activities of college life. After enjoying this intimate association with the English students, we return to America with an entirely new appreciation of the English cultural and political tradition, a new appreciation of the value of British-American friendship.

"We admire the English love of games, their amateur spirit in sport and their high sense of sportsmanship. We admire the English students for their intelligent interest in politics and for their world-wide interest in the policies of the British Empire. We admire the English students for the cosmopolitan and liberal atmosphere which they have created at Oxford.

Intellectual Interest

"We admire the English students for their broad intellectual interests, interests which are not narrowly related to their studies, to professional preparation or to the business of money-making. We appreciate what is meant by 'merry old England' both merry and old.

"I believe there is a community of purpose and unity between Britain and America which in international affairs is the best guarantee for world peace. After 30 years the vision and the planning of Rhodes has scattered throughout the world 2,000 Rhodes scholars convinced that the dream of a British-American fellowship is a practical one.

"We have learned at Oxford to play, work and think together in terms of a new world, in terms of the future as well as of the past, in terms of a World Commonwealth as well as in terms of a nation or Empire."

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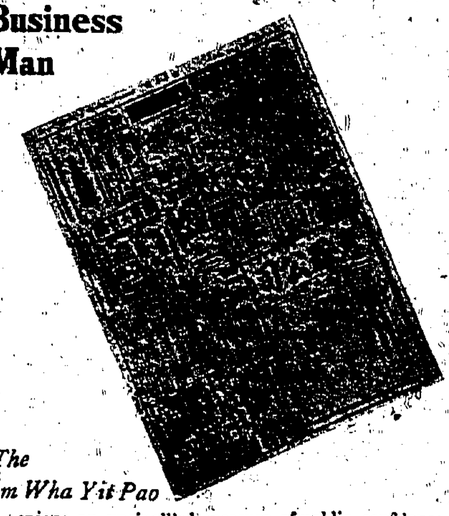

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JAPANESE DAVIS CUP PLAYERS GIVE EXHIBITION IN KOWLOON

HOME FOOTBALL REVIEW

Results For Last Three Seasons

(BY "LEFT OUT")

Although the Home football season is but a week old, much interest is being taken in the activities of the teams participating in the league and for this reason a review of the past three season will make interesting reading.

By way of a start, I am publishing the results of the matches of the teams engaged this week-end, and this will be followed up by other results in the course of the week.

FIRST DIVISION

			Results 1931	1932	1934
Arsenal	v.	Liverpool	6—0	0—1	2—1
A. Villa	v.	Derby	2—0	2—0	0—1
Blackburn	v.	Leeds	—	1—1	4—2
Chelsea	v.	L'cester	1—0	4—1	2—0
Everton	v.	Preston	—	—	—
Grimsby	v.	P'mouth	3—1	—	—
H'field	v.	T'ham	—	—	2—0
Manchester C.	v.	Wednesday	1—2	2—2	2—3
Middlebro'	v.	W. Brom	1—0	3—1	3—0
Stoke	v.	B'ham	—	—	1—1
Wolves	v.	S'land	—	0—2	1—6

SECOND DIVISION

Barnsley	v.	P. Vale	3—0	—	—
Blackpool	v.	Hull	—	—	0—0
Bolton	v.	Bury	—	—	2—0
Bradford C.	v.	Swansea	5—1	1—1	2—1
Newcastle	v.	Brentford	—	—	—
Norwich	v.	Fulham	2—2	—	—
Nottingham City	v.	Burnley	5—0	4—2	3—1
Plymouth	v.	Bradford	4—1	3—2	4—1
Sheffield U.	v.	Man. U.	—	—	—
Southampton	v.	Oldham	1—1	0—2	1—0
West Ham	v.	Notts. F.	—	4—3	2—1

THIRD DIVISION (North)

Barrow	v.	Halifax	3—1	3—3	5—2
Carlisle	v.	W'ham	2—2	2—1	0—0
Chester	v.	Acc'ton	1—0	4—2	7—0
Chesterfield	v.	Walsall	—	—	1—2
Doncaster	v.	S'port	1—1	1—1	0—2
H'pool	v.	Crewe	3—1	3—2	2—1
Middlefield	v.	R'ham	—	9—2	3—0
N. Brighton	v.	Dar'ton	0—0	7—1	3—2
R'dale	v.	T'mere	3—6	0—3	1—0
Southport	v.	G'head	1—1	4—1	1—1
York	v.	Lincoln	1—1	—	—

THIRD DIVISION (South)

B'mouth	v.	Coventry	2—2	3—1	3—3
Bristol R.	v.	Luton	3—1	0—0	0—1
Charlton	v.	Brighton	—	—	4—3
Crystal P.	v.	Cardiff	5—0	4—1	3—2
Newport	v.	Bristol C.	—	1—1	2—2
N'hampton	v.	Clapton	4—3	3—0	3—0
Queen's P. R.	v.	A'shot	—	2—2	2—4
Reading	v.	Gil'ham	2—0	4—0	2—0
Southend	v.	Exeter	0—1	1—2	3—1
Torquay	v.	Swindon	2—1	4—3	2—0
Watford	v.	Millwall	—	—	—

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

			Results 1931	1932	1934
Aberdeen	v.	Dun'line	—	—	—
Alb. R.	v.	M'well	—	—	—
Clyde	v.	Falkirk	1—0	3—1	2—0
H'ton	v.	Airdrie	3—1	7—0	4—2
Hearts	v.	Dundee	3—1	1—0	6—1
Kilnock	v.	Ayr. U.	5—1	3—5	4—2
Queen's P.	v.	Celtic	0—3	4—1	2—3
Queen of S.	v.	St. Mirren	—	—	0—1
Rangers	v.	Partick	4—0	3—0	2—2
St. J'sone	v.	Hibs	2—1	—	0—1

HOME FOOTBALL

League Results

London, Aug. 27.

The following were the results of football matches played to-day in the English League:—

First Division

Aston Villa	2	Wolves	1
Huddersfield	1	Derby	0
Stoke	8	Leeds	1
Tottenham	1	Preston	2

Second Division

Barnsley	1	Notts County	1
Blackpool	4	Newcastle	1
Bradford C.	2	Sheffield U.	5
Fulham	2	Brentford	2
Norwich	4	Bury	1
Southampton	0	Port Vale	0
Swansea	5	Oldham	1
West Ham	1	Burnley	2

Third Division (South)

Cardiff	1	Luton	0
Charlton	3	Torquay	2
New Port	6	Bournemouth	1
Northampton	2	Exeter	1

Third Division (North)

Chesterfield	0	Tranmere	2
Rotherham	2	Halifax	2

Reuter.

BOWLERS LEAVE

Team Sails On President Taft

The Hong Kong Lawn Bowls team sailed in the early hours of this morning on the President Taft for Shanghai.

They will commence playing in Shanghai on Friday and their engagements extend to September 11. They will stay at the Palace Hotel.

The interport dinner will take place on September 8, following the third match of the series of three between Hong Kong and Shanghai.

DOUBLE CENTURY BY KIPPAX

Sussex's Hard Task

London, August 27.

Sussex, who are playing the Australians at Hove, declared at 304 for 3 (John Parkes 60, Cook 60, James Langridge 57). Fleetwood-Smith took five wickets for 114.

The Australians trounced the bowlers, Alan Kippax scoring 250, Darling 117, Brown 68 and Bradman 19. Their total was 560, which leaves them with an excess of 256 runs.—*Reuter.*

CLASSIFICATION OF PONIES

Many Changes In Official List

The official classification of ponies by the Hong Kong Jockey Club has just been released and reveals many changes.

In the "C" class for China ponies there are forty-eight candidates, while no fewer than sixty-two are in the "D" class.

There are sixteen Australians in the "A" class and twenty in the "B."

The full list is as follows:

AUSTRALIAN PONIES

"A" CLASS

Able Amazon, Alacrity, Atlas, Bag Tor, Bobniak Star, Bronze Era, High Finance, Just That, Little Vic, Mutiny Bay, Nell Gwyn, Night Star, Racing Heart, Rosy Morn, Saucy Face, Woodland Stag.

"B" CLASS

Australian Boy, But After That, Cheeky Face, City of Brisbane, Dancing Hall, Dinty, Empire Day, Fanling Fox, Glorious Star, Kilrea, Lucy Glitters, Manna, Polar Star, Portia, Ration, St. Joan, Tecumseh, The Giraffe, The Goose, Vriday.

CHINA PONIES

"A" CLASS

Bag and Baggage, Brilliant Star, Cossack's Beauty, Diana Bay, Electric Star, Hetman, Hydroplane, King's Justice, Liberty Bay, Lunar Star, Sadko, Soldier of Britain, Trentbridge.

"B" CLASS

Bay View, Blue Star, Brechin, Bright Star, Bright View, Chateau Bay, Don, Gladiator, Gleneagles, High Speed, King's Bounty, King's Fancy, Mayflower, New Star, Oak Bay, Pride of Tsingtao, Prima Donna, Soldier of China, Soldier of Germany, Spinaway.

"C" CLASS

Bayardo, Beta, Bistre, Budge, Chief Seattle, Copperfield, Copper Idol, Daylight Eve, Diego, Fair View, Flying Tourist, Fudge, Gay Crusader, Glad Eyes, Glorious Sun, Gold Bullion, Gold Currency, Great Hall, Heart's Glory, High Life, Hot Sun, Jungle Jim, King's Worthy, Lemberg, Limelight, Macaroni, Marquis Hall, Midday Sun, Monoplane, Partnership, Racing Boy, Racing Luck, Racing Pride, Ribble, Royal Flush, Sandy Bay, Solar Star, The Tiger, Tso Tak, Valorous, Vigilance, Wayward Stag, West Parade, What A Chance, White Jade Stag, William Osler, Wonderful Stag, Zero.

"D" CLASS

African Eve, Ajax, Banjolina, Banquet Hall, Betting Tax, Bold Commander, Boxing Eve, Burgomaster, Cavalcade, Chesterfield, Chivalrous, Chow Fan, City of Shanghai, Classic Hall, Colombo, Dancing Butterfly, Dare Devil, Ebony Idol, Fi-Fa, Gay Butterfly, Golden Dragon, Hell for Leather, Helter Skelter, Hey Tor, Hijacker, Hot Heels, In Good Time, Iron Grey, Ironsides, King Willow, King's Parade, Mike, Morning Sun, Mortmain, National Day, No Fear, Now's The Time, Philanderer, Pie Face, Potsdam, Powerful King, Racing Pluck, Racing Spirit, Racing Triumph, Sarabande, Sea View, Shaughraun, Soldier of Fortune, Soldier of Italy, Surprise, Sweet Life, The Bodega, The Carp, The Gadwall, The Redshank, Tilicum, Tiny Star, Vago, Warrington, Widnes, Young Chap.

"E" CLASS

Amoy, Antamok, Black Velvet, Bold Marshal, Bran Tub, Brass Idol, Britannic Hall, Cebu, City View, Co-ship, Delightful Chance, De Minimis, Festival Eve, Gallant Fox, Harbour View, Jibsheet, Jingle, Just Imagine, Kindo, King's Company, Little Beauty, Racing Beauty, St. Ives, Swastika, The Crook, The Panther, The Pochard, The Ruddy Sheldrake, Utopian, Valley Hall, Wapiti, Wembly Stag.

Thrilling Display By Yamagishi

VOLLEYING DUELS WITH LOCAL DOUBLES CHAMPIONS

Fujikura Shows A New Stroke

The Japanese Davis Cuppers, Yamagishi, Nishimura and Fujikura who arrived in the Colony yesterday morning by the N.Y.K. liner Terukuni Maru, were seen in exhibition lawn tennis matches at the Kowloon Cricket Club yesterday afternoon when a very large gathering of tennis fans were present.

The standard of tennis displayed was not as good as that of Nunoi and Jiro Satoh in the exhibition tennis games played at the Hong Kong Cricket Club at the beginning of 1933.

Yamagishi was easily the best of the Japanese trio, his execution being perfect while his volleying and half volleying was superb throughout.

Nishimura was also very good, displaying a dangerous back-hand while his killing at the net left nothing to be desired.

Fujikura, the youngest member of the trio played a very steady game throughout and exhibited for the first time in the Colony the double-handed back-hand smash, which is one of Vivian McGrath's—Australian Davis Cupper—most famous strokes.

Tsui Wai-pui the local singles champion displayed signs of nervousness in his set with Fujikura although as the match progressed he recovered his original form and was responsible for some brilliant drives down the side lines.

Tsui was weak on his forehand and had practically no control at all on this stroke, time and again sending the ball out of the court with a splendid opportunity facing him.

H. D. Rumjahn was very calm and although at first he failed to strike true form, he was later seen in some thrilling volleying duels at the net. His placements down the side-lines were excellent and during the doubles encounter when he partnered his cousin, S. A. Rumjahn, he was often seen at the top of his form, volleying and placing with deadly accuracy.

S. A. Rumjahn was also seen to advantage during the doubles game and often pulled the pair out of a rut with some splendid cross court volleys and half volleys, while his forehand driving often passed his opponents down the centre of the court.

Singles Match

The first match was one of singles between Tsui Wai-pui and Fujikura.

Tsui opened the service game and lost the game at 30-40 as a result of over hitting on his forehand.

Fujikura was seen to falter in his service game and was love 30 when he pulled himself out of the rut with some splendid placements in the corners of the court and had Tsui Wai-pui on the run continually.

In the following game Fujikura played well to take a love game but lost the fourth as a result of some brilliant drives by Tsui down the side lines which had Fujikura outpositioned.

The games thereafter went alternately to Tsui and Fujikura until the tenth game when the latter took it after leading 5 games to 3.

In the second set Fujikura went all out to take the set at 6-0, Tsui often coming to within a point of game only to lose four points off in a row as a result of superb volleying by Fujikura.

Doubles Encounter

A doubles match between Yamagishi and H. D. Rumjahn and Nishimura and Fujikura followed the singles and in this Yamagishi was seen to advantage when by sheer determination he and Rumjahn recovered much ground from 1-5 games to 4-5, when Nishimura brought off some lovely ground shots to take the game and set.

In this encounter it could be seen that H. D. Rumjahn was not an ideal partner for Yamagishi and took some time to adapt his play and combination to that of the Japanese Davis Cupper.

Yamagishi was brilliant both from the baseline where he volleyed with deadly accuracy and at the net where he was practically unpassable, his kills reminding one of Nunoi, who it will be remembered, was particularly good at this stage of play.

Nishimura and Fujikura were a well balanced partnership and took the first set as a result of wonderful understanding and superb recoveries.

In the second set of this doubles match Yamagishi and Rumjahn were being led 4-1 when complete understanding and a brilliant all-round display by Yamagishi, who astounded the spectators with eleventh hour recoveries, brought them level to 4-4.

The opposition, Nishimura and Fujikura were particularly good in chopping the ball just over the net while their overhead work from the centre of the court evoked rounds of applause.

In the ninth and tenth games both sides were playing good tennis, although Yamagishi was seen to tire slightly as a result of bearing the brunt of the opposing attack.

It was in this game that Fujikura brought off a superb back-hand stroke round his back to take the game.

The last game in the set was an easy one for Nishimura and Fujikura who outdrove and outplaced their opponents to win at 40-15.

Rumjahn Cousins

The last match of the day was two sets of doubles in which Yamagishi and Nishimura were opposed to H. D. and S. A. Rumjahn.

The first set saw several exciting volleying duels between H. D. Rumjahn and Yamagishi, the Japanese Davis Cupper coming off best as a result of terrific speed and wonderful placing.

The Japanese led by three games to nil when S. A. Rumjahn came into the picture with some excellent drives which invariably found their mark, taking the game with a superb drive down the centre of the court, passing both the Japanese players.

Thereafter the Rumjahn cousins were seen on their true form and many of the games went to deuce before they were won.

The Japanese players made fine recoveries and as a result took the first set at 6-2.

In the second set the Rumjahns surprisingly led the Japanese pair at 2 games to 1 when the latter took a love game during S. A. Rumjahn's service game.

The Japanese pair eventually wore down the local doubles champions and walked away with the set and match at 6-3.

JARMAN WINS

Final of S.W.B. Championship

In the final of the singles billiards championship of the South Wales Borderers, Staff Sergeant Jarman won from Private Matthias by 500 points to 477.

As the score would indicate, the game was a close one, and more than once it appeared as though Matthias would win. Jarman was not quite at his best last night, but nevertheless he was sufficiently good enough to produce flashes of his real form.

U. S. BASEBALL

Giants Fail To Score

New York, August 27.

New York Giants received a surprise when they were blanked out to-day by Bill Lee of the Chicago Cubs. The latter had a stiff battle and managed to score one run to win.

St. Louis Cardinals registered eleven hits but scored only one run against Brooklyn Dodgers, who gathered ten runs.

In the American League, Bridges shut out Philadelphia Athletics while Detroit collected eleven runs.

New York Yankees gained the decision over Chicago White Sox in a very close game.

Cleveland Indians were in a similar position in their encounter with Boston, winning by an odd run.

The following were the results:

National League

	R.	H.	E.
New York	0	3	1
Chciago	1	5	1

Bill Lee pitched for Chicago.

Boston	5	10	1
Pittsburg	8	11	1
Brooklyn	10	16	1
St. Louis	1	11	1

Boyle homered for Brooklyn and Lachary pitched.

American League

Detroit	11	14	0
Philadelphia	0	5	2
Goslin homered for Detroit and Bridges pitched.			
Chicago	2	8	0
New York	3	7	0
Cleveland	6	8	2
Boston	5	11	3
St. Louis	1	7	3
Washington	6	13	2

Reuter.

NAVAL PROGRAMME OF FRANCE

Marine Minister Discloses His Intentions

Paris, August 28.

"I am determined to be a partisan of big units," declared M. Pietri, Minister of Marine, at an interview.

"The foremost item in my programme is the building of a sister ship to the battleship Dunkerque. The latter may be finished in 1937 and the sister ship in 1938.

"I have ordered a complete transformation of three battleships of the Provence class, the first of which will be ready in a few months."

M. Pietri also introduced a four-year plan to improve naval and air service construction and subterranean petrol depots of which one has already been constructed at Ajaccio, and the supply of a new model of land batteries on the Algerian and Moroccan coasts.—*Reuter.*

EAST LOCARNO PACT

Poland's Ironclad Conditions

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Paris, Aug. 27.

Poland's three ironclad conditions which are stubbornly holding up the signature to the much discussed East Locarno pact, were published on Monday by the well-informed conservative "Temps."

The first Polish requirement is a refusal under any circumstances to allow Soviet troops to march through Polish territory though, at a special request, Poland is ready to co-operate with the navy and air fleet.

Secondly, the demands for a final settlement of the Polish-Lithuanian conflict including the solution of the Vilna dispute and the restoration of normal diplomatic relations between the two countries.

As the last prerequisite to the acceptance of the East Locarno Pact, Poland wishes to be guaranteed in future to be informed of all diplomatic conversations conducted by the French Foreign office and be allowed to participate in preliminaries and major diplomatic steps before they were made, as not in the case of the Franco-Soviet negotiations which led up to the present pact.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

EUROPEAN PEACE

Austria's Efforts Stressed

[Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (*Copyright.*)]

Vienna, Aug. 27.

What was expected to be the opening move of the Austrian request for new international loans at the forthcoming assembly of the League of Nations was launched on Monday by an article in the semi-official "Neuigkeitweltblatt" here.

The strikingly frank article reminds the European Powers that "they were obligated to deliver practical thanks to Austria for time and again offering a tribute from their dearest resources and best men for the sake of European peace. Without desiring war, the article goes on, Austria in the last year twice saved Europe from plunging into conflict by bending every energy to localize the war danger and scotch it upon Austrian territory. If the independence and freedom of Austria is so great a value to the European States as internal and public opinion so often maintained, then the continent is under obligation to make practical recognition of Austria's services and participate in the burdens which Austria was thus forced to bear."—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

MAJ.-GEN. FINLAYSON'S NEW COMMAND

London Aug. 27.

Major-General R. G. Finlayson has been appointed Commander of the Third Division with effect from 15th October in succession to Lieutenant-General Pitt Taylor. *British Wireless.*

OIL RESERVOIR EXPLOSION

Disaster In South America

Buenos Aires, Aug. 28.

So far one person has been killed and 50 injured as the result of an explosion in two reservoirs containing over two million gallons of petroleum.

In Campana the whole section of the town is on fire. The flames have spread to other reservoirs.

Extreme panic has been created by the disaster and the population is fleeting from the town.

The railway station has been destroyed. A fire fighting train has been despatched from Buenos Aires.—*Reuter.*

ARRESTS ON C. E. R.

Allegations Of Torture

Moscow, Aug. 28.

Fifty four Soviet employees of the Chinese Eastern Railway have been arrested in Manchukuo since August 18 according to the Tass Agency. Their relatives have been kept in a state of anxiety by stories of inhuman tortures at the police stations.

It is alleged that several relatives have received parcels of blood-stained clothing of prisoners being coerced to confess that they were acting under orders to organise raids on trains and stations. *Reuter.*

ANOTHER U. S. STRIKE

Textile Workers Preparing

Washington, Aug. 28

A walk out in the woollen and rayon industries is being prepared by the strike committee of the United Textile Workers.

According to Mr. Francis Gorman, chairman of the committee, it is highly possible that the walk out will be simultaneous with the cotton strike date.

The cotton strike date remains uncertain. It will probably start this week, but it is unlikely that it will be fully effective before September 4. *Reuter.*

CHICAGO'S GREAT UNPAID

School Teachers Draw Arrears Of Wages

Chicago, Aug. 27.

The City's great unpaid, namely 17,000 teachers and other school employees formed a night-long queue to draw the arrears of wages paid by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation loan.

The arrears averaged $1,500 apiece and will be mostly devoted to payment of debts to landlords, clothiers and grocers.

Mayor Kelly has declared that Chicago is now on a sound and solvent basis.—*Reuter.*

CABLE NEWS IN BRIEF

Japanese Instructor For China

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Moscow, Aug. 27.

The Japanese Government has accepted the offer to provide an instructor for the newly organised Chinese Marine Academy at Foochow in the province of Fukien, according to reports from Tokio appearing in the official organ of the Red Army, "Krasnaya Svesda" on Monday.

The surprise request by the Chinese Government was fulfilled by the Japanese Marine Ministry by the appointment of Captain Teraoka who till now was the commandant of a flying squadron in Yokosuka harbour.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

AIR RACE BALLOONS

Paris, Aug. 27.

Two German non-rigid balloons taking part in the air races in Dusseldorf were forced down in French territory on Monday, one 300 miles south of Paris near the town of Arrenes and the other further south near Correze.

After an examination of the balloonists' papers, the French authorities rendered the racers all possible assistance.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

SOVIET WELCOME TO TURKISH OFFICERS

Odessa, Aug. 27.

Twelve high Turkish officers led by General Fachrettin Pascha were welcomed with high military honours as they arrived here to the sound of bands and salutes of harbour guns.

The twelve-men commission left a few hours for Moscow where they will participate in the huge-scale manoeuvres of the Red Army as a return visit to that made by the Soviet Military Mission to Istanbul during the commemoration of the tenth anniversary of the founding of the Turkish Republic.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

MOUNTAIN CLIMBING MIRACLE

Chamonix, Aug. 27.

A mountain climbing miracle was revealed in the Swiss alps on Monday when a searching party which was combing the steep defiles and deep glacier cracks in the surrounding region for a French alpinist who disappeared eight days ago, recovered the victim of the climbing accident alive.

Despite more than a week's exposure to the snow, wind and biting cold of the mountain nights, the man who had fallen into a ravine from which he was unable to escape on his own power, suffered only critically frozen legs. He was taken to hospital and it is stated that he has every chance of a full recovery.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

MARATHON CYCLISTS

Warsaw, Aug. 27.

The crack German bicycle team pedalled out the best Polish athlete to win the first Warsaw to Berlin cyclist race in the history of the two countries.

The German star, Scheller, who was favoured to win after leading the field by a comfortable margin in the first two days had bad luck in the last few hours when he suffered four punctured tyres and one pedal breakage which forced him to concede first place to Hauswald, a dark horse.

The population in the Polish capital accorded all the marathon cyclists a warm welcome as they finished the gruelling race through the main streets of Warsaw.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

OLD WOMAN'S DEATH

Munich, Aug. 27.

The oldest woman in Germany, Frau Maria Schoepperle, died on Monday aged 106 in the idyllic town of Lenzkirch in the province of Baden. Born in June, 1828, the old lady passed away in the presence of her three children aged 80, 77 and 72.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

ARMS MANUFACTURERS AND FOREIGN FIRMS

Interesting Disclosures Foreshadowed

Washington, Aug. 28.

Disclosures on relations between the United States armament manufacturers and large foreign firms are foreshadowed by Senator Pope, a member of the Senate's special munitions investigating committee which meets on September 4.

Senator Pope declared that the records of the Navy Department in the case of many private firms "disclosed interesting international situations."

It is predicted that the committee is likely to investigate the shipment of scrap iron from the United States to Japan, in which connection the Department of Commerce report shows that 101,293 out of 155,812 tons exported from the United States in July were shipped to Japan.—*Reuter.*

CONTROL OF N. R. A.

Gen. Johnson's Victory

Washington, Aug. 27.

The battle between General Hugh Johnson and Mr. Donald Richberg over the future of the National Recovery Administration is over.

Observers to-day conceded that General Johnson had won a complete tactical victory and has emerged as the undisputed dictator of N.R.A.

His personal battle with Mr. Donald Richberg, which also involved Miss Perkins, the Secretary of the Department of Labour, concerned plans submitted for the reorganisation of N.R.A.

Mr. Richberg, who is General Counsel of N.R.A., submitted plans which called, it is understood, for changes in N.R.A. modifying its labour status improvement side among other things, but General Johnson has come out on top in the conflict.

It is understood that Mr. Richberg will remain at least temporarily as counsel to N.R.A. with the understanding that General Johnson is the Chief. Later, he will probably be appointed head of the National Emergency Council.

Miss Perkins is expected to confine her activities very closely to the Labour Department.

Generally speaking, President Roosevelt has worked out a plan to keep off both from stepping on the sensitive toes of General Johnson. *Reuter.*

SALVATION ARMY COMMAND

Choosing A New General

London, Aug. 28.

Forty-seven Councillors of the Salvation Army from all parts of the world are meeting in London to-day to choose a new General to succeed General Higgins, who is retiring in November.

General Higgins yesterday gave a formal reception to the Councillors, whom he exhorted to perform their great purpose in a great way.

As a two-thirds majority is requirement for the appointment, the balloting may last two days. Nominations will not be made until the Council meets. *Reuter.*

CANTON'S INDUSTRIAL COLLEGES

Work To Be Sent To Peiping

Canton, August 28.

In order to advance education, the authorities of the Nanking Educational Department recently decided to hold a Grand Exhibition of the work of all the Industrial Schools and Colleges throughout the country.

The Grand Exhibition, according to their plans, will be held in Peiping in the middle of November this year.

It is reported that the students of the Canton Industrial Schools and Colleges are now busily preparing their exhibits for this Grand Exhibition.

AMERICA CUP RACE

Rainbow's Chances Bright

Newport, R.I., August 27.

The Rainbow's chance of defending the America Cup against Mr. Tom Sopwith's Endeavour in the 1934 yachting classic next month has been greatly increased in consequence of her victory over the Yankee by 3 minutes 11 seconds over a 30-mile triangular course to-day.

Had the Yankee won her choice would have been practically certain, but the same does not apply to the Rainbow, as the Yankee's performances hitherto have been superior to that of her rival, notwithstanding the fact that the latter is a new craft, built by the Vanderbilt syndicate at a cost of a million dollars specially for the America Cup race.—*Reuter.*

SILVER MARKET

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

London August 28.

London Silver prices to-day were unchanged, as follow:—

	Aug. 27	Aug. 28
Spot	21-9/16	21-9/16
Forward	21-9/16	21-9/16

London on New York cross rate at 2.00 p.m. to-day was 5.05-7/16 compared with 5.06 at closing yesterday.

DISASTROUS FIRE IN CHICAGO

Armour Factory Damaged

Chicago, Aug. 27.

Fears of a repetition of the great stockyard disaster of four months' ago were aroused by a fierce outbreak in the yards to-day.

Workers frantically drove the bellowing cattle to the leeward of the flames and prodigious efforts by the fire brigades enabled them to restrict the outbreak to one of Armour's factories.

The damage is estimated at $75,000.—*Reuter.*

ADVANCEMENT OF SCIENCE

British Association Activities

London, Aug. 27.

The British Association for the Advancement of Science which is holding its annual meeting at Aberystwyth next month and at which most of Britain's best known scientists, as well as many distinguished foreign visitors, will be present, is expected to produce practical contributions towards the solution of many modern problems.

At last year's meetings, the British Association formed committees to investigate such subjects as noise, water supplies and various aspects of wireless telegraphy, and the fruits of the researches made are to be announced at the Aberystwyth meetings.—*British Wireless.*

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FLOOD HAVOC IN INDIA

Hardinge Bridge Endangered

Calcutta, Aug. 27.

The extent of the flood disaster is spreading alarmingly as the Ganges continues to rise.

At least fifty villages are known to have been swept away and it is feared that the loss of life has been heavy, although thousands of fugitives from the storm waters have managed to reach places of safety.

Reports show that hundreds of head of cattle have perished, while the crops in several districts in Bihar and Orissa have been badly damaged where not entirely destroyed.

Experts are now anxiously watching the great Hardinge Railway Bridge at Saran, the longest in India, which was built by British engineers a score of years ago at a cost of three millions sterling.

Thousands of men have been working for five months to protect the bridge from flood dangers and hitherto the new protective walls have withstood the torrent of flood waters.—*Reuter.*

RIOTS IN CORINTH

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Athens, Aug. 27.

Violent farmer riots broke out in the historic city of Corinth on Monday when the assembled landowners demonstrated against the new agricultural prices fixable by Government, and attempted to burn one of the largest Corinthian's granaries. Police intervention saved the main buildings but one person was killed and scores injured.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

LABOUR IN AUSTRIA

Demand for Policy Of Conciliation

[Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (*Copyright.*)]

Vienna, Aug. 27.

A warning was delivered to the new Austrian Government by the vice-burgomaster of Vienna, Winkler, in a public letter published on Monday in which he pleaded for a policy of conciliation toward the labour forces of the country, closing with the ominous words that otherwise the new workers movement will inevitably turn vigorously against the reorganised State.

Dr. Winkler has been entrusted with the formation of the new labour organisation within the limited frame of the new Austrian constitution and therefore a sharp public protest against the Government policy is as sharply effective as unexpected.

The gist of the public message to the Government is that the nation must not attempt to exclude the leaders of old social, democratic and free labour unions from participating in its affairs, unless they wish and force the creation of an extra legal labour movement. Winkler himself announced his determination to continue the creation of groups of workers both in Vienna and the provinces.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

CHINESE MINISTERS IN NANKING

Nanking, Aug. 28.

Dr. Wellington Koo and Mr. W. W. Yen arrived here from Shanghai to-day. They are proceeding to Kuling to-morrow to see Marshal Chiang Kai Shek.—*Reuter.*

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

ROYAL HONGKONG YACHT CLUB.

MEMBERS are reminded that the ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING will take Place TO-DAY at the CLUB HOUSE, North Point, at 5.45 P.M.

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DEATH.

HOLLANDS.—At the Government Civil Hospital at 11.30 p.m. on 28th August, Guy Hollands aged 10, second son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hollands. Funeral will pass the Monument at 5.30 p.m. to-day.

BIRTH.

ANDREW.—On August 24, 1934, Shanghai, to Inspector and Mrs. R. C. Andrew, a son.

MARRIAGE.

THEOBALD—DOYLE.—On August 23, 1934, at Holy Trinity Cathedral, Shanghai, by the Rev. A. C. S. Trivett, M.A., D.D., Ruth Geraldine, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Doyle, of Melbourne, to Cyril Henry, elder son of the late W. H. Theobald, of Sydney.

ANNOUNCEMENT

A marriage has been arranged, and will shortly take place, between Robert Cunningham Williams, of Sungei Sungkei, Perak, son of the late R. C. Williams P.W.D., India, and Sarah, daughter of Sir Bartle and Lady Frere, of Mangreen Hall, Norwich.

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MEN ARE MORE THAN ANTS

The day's news is a mixed record of victory and defeat accounts of mankind's progress being shadowed by disasters supposed to be its price. Side by side we read of the finding of a charred air liner and its occupants on a New York mountain top, of a new coast-to-coast record established by another air liner and of a nearly perfect new system of weather forecasting which promotes plans for air routes from California to Hawaii and Australia. In the same paper appears reports of governmental plans for relief of drought-stricken farm areas and articles disclosing the ill effects of some governmental attempts to readjust the economic machinery. On all sides we find humanity advancing, but apparently paying a heavy penalty for each step of progress. To a casual observer it might appear that men are merely ants, but ants also go forward. Let a tree fall across their line of march, and they surmount or circle it, carry off the casualties and go on to their objective. They even display ability to learn from experience and will change their path if enough trees fall across it.

Men, too, go on. While one ship is wrecked a thousand others fly on to their goals. Men, too, learn from experience. When ships or airplanes crash in fog, steps are taken to conquer fog. Last year an airplane guided by radio beacons and altitude finders flew absolutely fog-blinded, yet truly and safely, from Washington to Newark. The measures now being taken to relieve men stricken by drought or by failure of our economic system are far in advance of anything hitherto attempted.

Men are more than ants. The tree does not have to fall on their path a hundred times before they change their way though very often it seems we are woefully slow, that we display more antlike persistence than human intelligence. There is too much error in our trial-and-error method. We need not pay so heavy a price for progress. We need not have so many plane crashes nor so many unhappy experiences with noble experiments in social legislation. We cannot escape the penalties for our mistakes, but we can reduce the mistakes.

For men are more than ants. Men can dream, and men can pray. They are not wholly occupied—though often they seem to be—with the satisfaction of material wants. They seek spiritual satisfactions. They are not merely more intelligent than insects; they have some perception of the divine source of intelligence. And as they develop their perception of that unerring Mind they throw off the shackles of ignorance. Men have gone far already, but they will go farther and faster and cease to pay so dearly for each advance, as they abandon ant-like purposes and learn to express the intelligence available to them.

EUROPEAN LAD KILLED

Fall Into Nullah While At Play

Much sympathy will be extended by a wide circle of friends to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hollands at the death of their ten-year-old son Guy under very sudden and tragic circumstances.

It would appear that the lad was playing with some of his brothers on the grounds at Government Quarters, Mount Parish, when he overbalanced and fell into a nullah, dropping 25 feet or more and landing on his head.

The accident happened at about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. He was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital suffering from a fractured skull and passed away late in the evening.

The funeral will pass the Monument at 5.30 p.m. to-day.

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To Be Established In Canton

Canton, Aug. 28.

Mr. Lam Wan Hoi, Chairman of the Canton Provincial Government, is now busily occupied with the establishment of an Industrial & Commercial Savings Bank for the convenience and advancement of industry and commerce.

It is reported that he has deputed Mr. Chan Chung Pik and others to attend to the matter.

According to their plans, the capital of the bank will be $5,000,000 to be equally borne by the Government and the merchants of the Canton city, and that it will co-operate with the bankers of Canton and Hong Kong so far as banking business is concerned.

It is hoped that this new Industrial and Commercial Savings Bank will be opened for business in the Spring of 1935.

CHINA'S GREAT TEACHER

Remembered By The People

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, Aug. 27.

Known as the leader for all ages, Confucius is remembered as the saviour of the country as indicated to-day by the wide celebration of his birthday. To make sure that the old saint is gone but not forgotten, to-day is a public holiday not only in Canton but throughout the country.

General Chiang Kai Shek has a special reverence for Confucius, as his New Life Movement is modelled after the principles of the ancient philosopher. In Canton the teachings of this sage have the respect and admiration of General Chen Tsai Tong, who recommended that the Confucian classics be made part of the required courses in all schools.

This suggestion was duly approved by the provincial authorities, and the new Commissioner of Education made a thorough study of the Confucian principles before he took the post. Now these ancient classics are just as important as the principles laid down by the late Dr. Sun Yat Sen.

Like an ordinary individual, Confucius was most anxious to become a government official, but his special objective was not to make money but to carry out his moral principles. When his counsel was no longer listened to by the king, Confucius left him and went to another kingdom, China being then divided into seven kingdoms. He had a large number of disciples, among whom Mencius was the outstanding and was named as a sage.

Even after his death over 1,500 years ago, Confucius had his ups and downs. During the Ching or Manchu Dynasty, he was worshipped as the greatest man in China, but in the early days of the Kuomintang goverment the bearded sage was ignored as his principles of loyalty to the king were deemed counter-revolutionary. To-day opinion has changed, and Confucius is again the hero of China.

DUTCH AIR MAILS

Singapore, August 28.

It is announced that as from September 5 the K.L.M. (Royal Dutch Airways) service between Amsterdam and Batavia will fly to its winter time schedule.

This means that in future the Dutch machines will be a day later in arrival at Singapore on the outward journey. Days of departure remain the same.

FERTILISER PLANT

New Scheme In Canton

From Our Special Correspondent

Canton, Aug. 28.

Private land at Saichuen, an industrial area west of the city, is being condemned in order to secure a site for the construction of a fertiliser plant to be operated by the Provincial Department of Reconstruction. In the condemned area all owners must bring their deeds to show their ownership and will be compensated for between $60 and $200 a mou or Chinese acre.

Those who claim to own the land but cannot produce title deeds will not be compensated, such land being treated as property of the state. Altogether 60 mou or Chinese acres will be required for the fertiliser factory.

Owing to the high import tariff and the introduction of many taxes the prices of imported fertilisers are so expensive that farmers and planters cannot afford to buy them. The fertiliser to be manufactured by the Provincial Department of Reconstruction will be somewhat cheaper, there being no tariff or taxes on government-produced goods.

Machinery for the new plant will be ordered from England. The construction work and installation will be completed in one year, it is said.

KWANGTUNG'S AFFAIRS

Interest Shown By Nanking

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, August 27.

The National Government is taking a greater concern over the affairs in Kwangtung, as several officials have arrived here from Nanking to investigate the finance, postal, railway and other matters in this province.

Mr. Teng Shui Yam a member of the Legislative Yuan in Nanking, is the latest arrival. A follower of Mr. Sun Fo, Mr. Teng Shui Yam is best remembered in Canton as the Minister of Finance, when the National Government was set up here in 1931. It is said that he came here on private matters.

However, it has been repeatedly reported that Mr. Sun Fo, President of the Legislative Yuan, is planning a visit to Canton after his sojourn in Honolulu. It is believed in well-informed circles here that Mr. Teng just paves the way for Mr. Sun's visit. There are conflicting reports on the purpose of Mr. Sun's objective in Canton, but is understood that he intends to come here to find out the attitude of the South-west towards Nanking.

The Ministry of Finance is represented here by Mr. Lee Shing Yik, former adviser to Mr. T. V. Soong. Mr. Li is a financial expert and comes to Canton to determine the income and expenditure of the Kwangtung government.

The other representatives are minor officials from Nanking, and their presence in Canton is connected strictly with routine matters without political significance.

THE VATICAN AND MANCHUKUO

Rome, Aug. 28.

Vatican circles deny the technical accuracy of reports that the Holy See has recognised Manchukuo.

It is pointed out however, that one of the Vicars Apostolic had been instructed to negotiate with the authorities of Kirin Province regarding the Roman Catholic Mission, which might be construed to imply unofficial recognition.—*Reuter.*

CHANG HSUEH LIANG LEAVES FOR KULING

Hankow, Aug. 28.

Marshal Chang Hsueh Liang left for Kiukiang last night on board a Chinese gunboat on his way to Kuling, in response to a summons from the Generalissimo. *Reuter.*

INNINGS DEFEAT FOR SUSSEX

London, Aug. 28.

The Australians defeated Sussex by an innings and 35 runs. Sussex scored only 221 in the second innings, Bowley contributing 63 and John Langridge 53, while Fleetwood-Smith took 5 for 87 and O'Reilly 4 for 49. *Reuter.*

(Earlier scores will be found on Page 10)

F.B.I. MISSION TO MANCHUKUO

Goodwill Visit To Japan

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug 15.

The Federation of British Industries has decided to send an industrial mission in the immediate future to Manchukuo, for the purpose of studying conditions in that country and of ascertaining whether British industry can co-operate with local interests in its development.

The mission will also pay a short visit of courtesy and goodwill to Japan, with the object of establishing friendly contact with the representative organisations of Japanese industry and commerce.

The mission will be composed of the following members:

Lord Barmby past president of the Federation of British Industries.

Sir Charles Seligman, senior director of Seligman Brothers, Ltd., bankers; vice-chairman Commercial Union Assurance Company; director National Discount Company.

Mr. Guy Locock director of the Federation of British Industries.

Mr. Julian Piggott, M.C., representing the British Iron and Steel Federation.

CHINA'S WESTWARD DEVELOPMENT

HOW HIGHWAYS WILL FACILITATE TRADE

Outlet For Over-Crowded Territory

From Our Own Correspondent

The extension of modern communications for the rehabilitation of the North-West is not only for the purpose of developing economic resources but to provide an outlet for immigration, declares the "Central China Daily News" in an editorial comment on the Government's plan. "Going Westward" has become a popular slogan, and the Government, realizing the necessity of developing that vast, rich and fertile region, is concentrating attention upon the construction of railways and highways and the establishment of agricultural experimental stations in the North-West, through the National Economic Council.

The Central China Daily News, by the term "Noth-West," refers to the provinces of Shensi, Suiyuan, Kansu, Chinghai, and Sinkiang, which together constitute about one-fourth of China. From the geographical point of view, the provinces to be first developed are unquestionably Shansi, Shensi, Suiyuan, Kansu, and Ninghsia, because they are near Central China, and it is impossible to develop Chinghai and Sinkiang without first having better means of communication between Central China and Shansi and neighbouring provinces.

Roads Before Railways

Despite the urgent necessity for railway transportation in the development of the North-West, where transport depends a great deal upon the Lung-Hai Railway, the Nanking Journal is of opinion that the Government is not—and for some time is not likely to be—in a financial position to extend this line or build a new one, and therefore the development of the North-West has to depend more on highways. The Shensi and Kansu Provincial Governments have already started construction of a highway between Sianfu and Lanchow, and plans have been made for the construction of three trunk roads—one between Hanchung and Sianfu in Shensi, another between Paotouchen in Suiyuan and Hsining in Ninghsia, and a third between Sianfu and Szechuan.

Meeting Mutual Needs

The Central China Daily News suggests that the Sianfu-Szechuan and Sianfu-Hanchung highways be constructed as soon as possible, as with the completion of these highways products of the North-West can be easily sent to Hupeh, Szechuan, and down the Yangtze River. On account of lack of communication between Szechuan and Shensi, Szechuan has to import cotton from abroad through Shanghai, and Hankow, while Shensi every year has surplus cotton production which cannot be transported to Szechuan. On the other hand, Shensi lacks salt, sugar, and rice, of which comodities Szechuan produces plenty. The construction of the Shensi-Szechuan highway will enable these two provinces to exchange products, and the Szechuan-Kansu highway will also help to move immigrants from Szechuan into thinly-populated Kansu.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Three cases of enteric fever were reported for the 24 hours ended on August 27.

One case of diphtheria was reported to the local health authorities during the week-end.

Half of the verandah at No. 1, Peel Street collapsed last evening. Fortunately there was no casualties.

A Dinner Dance will be held at Repulse Bay Hotel to-day. The "Andetonians" Band will be in attendance on this occasion.

Mr. E. W. Railton and Mr. W. Mueller were passengers arriving in Hong Kong from Europe aboard the Terukuni Maru yesterday.

It was announced at the Rotary Club yesterday that September 18 has been provisionally marked down for Ladies Day.

A boy of eleven was treated at the G.C.H. on Monday for a dog-bite after being attacked by an animal at 96, Lockhart Road, where he resided, and where the owner of the dog also lives.

The forthcoming marriage is announced between Mr. Cyril Frederick Wood of the China Light and Power Company and Miss Lorna Margaret Printz Tollan of 119 The Peak.

Ng Kan Tak, of Fah Yuen Shing village, Kowloon City, was taken to Kowloon Hospital on Monday in a serious condition after taking an overdose of opium and cutting his throat. He died shortly after admission.

London, August 27.—Mr. A. de V. Wade, Chief Native Commissioner, Kenya, has been selected for appointment as Colonial Secretary, Kenya, in succession to Mr. H. M. M. Moore, who is appointed Governor of Sierra Leone. —British Wireless.

Construction has begun for two new markets in the Wanchai district one in Bowrington Canal Road West and the other at the junction of Lockhart Road and Johnston Road, next to the Children's playground. The markets are expected to be completed within the next three months.

On Monday night, the Hong Kong Philharmonic Society staged their first rehearsal of "Merrie England," which they will play before the public shortly. Much enthusiasm was evinced by the performers, and it is expected that a very successful show will be produced by the Society.

It is learned that as from October 1, the Kowloon Canton Railway will run a fast train from Kowloon to Canton at noon and also a downward train from Canton. On both journeys stops will be made at six stations, including Sumchun. The idea of the stoppages is to pick up any intermediate traffic. The journey will probably take three to three and three-quarter hours either way.

The Consul General for the Netherlands regrets his inability to give a reception on the anniversary of the Birthday of Her Majesty Wilhelmina, Queen of the Netherlands, on Friday, the 31st of August, owing to the mourning of the Royal Family on account of the deaths of Her Majesty the Queen-Mother and His Royal Highness the Prince-Consort. A register of congratulation will be lying at the Netherland Consulate General, Asiatic Building, for friends to sign on the said date between 9.30 a.m. and noon. The Consulate General will be closed for the transaction of official business.

NEWS SUMMARY

A most absorbing address on "An Indiscreet Science" was delivered by Rev. Father Byrne at the Rotary Club yesterday.
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Sir Thomas Southorn has accepted an invitation to become an honorary member of the Rotary Club and attended yesterday for the first time in that capacity.
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The official classification of ponies by the Hong Kong Jockey Club appears on Page 10

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The leper problem was the subject of considerable discussion at the fortnightly meeting of the Sanitary Board yesterday when Mr. M. K. Lo moved that facilities for treatment and segregation should be provided for the lepers.
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Allegations against the professional conduct of a local medical practitioner were made at a Coroner's inquiry into the death of a Chinese woman who died from narcotic poison said to be self-administered. The doctor was alleged to have demanded $75 before treatment to the patient.
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In view of the very great interest that is being evinced in Home football, our football correspondent, "Left Out" is giving a review of the activities of the different teams for the last three years. The first article appears on page 10.

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The extension of modern communications for the rehabilitation is not only for the purpose of developing economic resources, says our Shanghai correspondent in a very chatty letter. Page 8

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The fund which is being raised to rebuild the Nethersole Hospital block of the Alice Memorial and Affiliated Hospitals has recently received the promise of two very liberal donations. The Hon. Mr. T. N. Chau has promised $10,000 while Mr. Ma Ying Piu also, has promised a similar donation.
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H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

To-day being Settlement Day there was not much doning. Apart from a steady demand for Telephones and Electrics there is not much of interest to record. The Settlement which was a small one passed off without any difficulty.

SALES

Union Insurances, $545.
Underwriters, $1.20.
Antamoks, 61½/62 cts.
Providents (old), $1.57½.
China Lights (old), $8¾/8.80.
Cements, $2.60.

BUYERS

H.K. Banks, $1735.
Underwriters, $1.20.
Providents (old), $1½.
Ewo Cottons, Sh. $10.90.
H.K. Lands, $52½.
Chinese Estates, $85.
Yaumati Ferries, $21.
China Lights (old), $8.70.
China Lights (new), $8.30.
Electrics, $71½.
Telephones (old), $24.10.
Singapore Tractions (Pref.) 17/3
Constructions (new), 78 cts.
Govt. Loan (4%), 7½% Prem.
Govt. Loan (3½%), 2½% Prem.

SELLERS

Union Insurances, $500.
Underwriters, $1.20.
Wharves, $112.
Telephones (new), $11½.

TRAIN DISASTER IN NORTH KOREA

Seoul, Aug. 28.

Three were killed and 42 injured in a train disaster near Gensan in North Korea when several coaches plunged over a bridge into the River Kyoto Kusen.

Only the engine remained on the bridge. The disaster is believed to be the work of terrorists.—*Reuter.*

Government And The Leper Problem

STRONG CRITICISMS BY MEMBERS OF THE SANITARY BOARD

Segregation, Treatment And Cure Of Lepers

That in the interests of public health, and on humane grounds, the whole problem of lepers in the Colony should be reviewed by the Government with a view to providing facilities for the segregation, treatment and cure of lepers, was the subject of considerable discussion at the fortnightly meeting of the Sanitary Board yesterday when Mr. M. K. Lo, pursuant to notice, put forward the above motion.

With the exception of Mr. L. C. F. Bellamy, all the unofficial members—Mr. Wong Kwong Tin, Dr. Li Shu Fan and Dr. R. A. de Castro—spoke in favour of the motion which was carried.

In his speech, Mr. M. K. Lo remarked that the Government had taken no steps to enforce the provisions of the Lepers' Ordinance, No. 24 of 1910 in the matter of providing leper asylums. Dr. Li Shu Fan said that the question of expense should not be a serious obstacle, while Dr. Basto made several recommendations among which were to make leprosy a notifiable disease and the establishment of a leprosarium.

Leprosy Should Be Made A Notifiable Disease

In putting forward his motion, Mr. M. K. Lo said:

In July 1930, I drew attention of this Board to the problem of lepers in the Colony by asking some questions on the subject.

I make no apology for again bringing this matter before this Board, for I consider that the problem of lepers is a growing menace to the residents of this Colony.

I had a recollection that this matter formed the subject of a series of questions by the Hon. Sir William Shenton in the Legislative Council, a few years ago, and thanks to Sir William's courtesy, I have traced the questions and answers published in the Hong Kong Hansard Reports for 1931, at pp. 91, 92, 103 and 104. I do not wish to take up the time of this Board by quoting verbatim the questions and answers, for any one interested can refer to Hansard, but I must say that in my humble view, the answers were not at all satisfactory.

No Steps Taken

Admittedly, the Government has no definite information as to the number of lepers in the Colony: Admittedly, the Government has taken no steps to enforce the provisions of the Lepers' Ordinance, No. 24 of 1910, in the matter of providing leper asylums or of making regulations under section 13. But I would like to read to you Sir William's question No. 4 and the answer thereto, and his supplementary question and the reply in regard thereto:

Q. Does the Government pay for or otherwise arrange for the maintenance in leper asylums of such lepers as may be transported out of the Colony?

A. Not as a rule. Payment has been made in the case of one Hong Kong Government employee. A grant of $5,000 to the Sheklung Leper Asylum was included in the Estimates for 1931 but payment has not been made owing to retrenchment. It is felt that no actual liability rests on this Colony for non-British lepers.

Q. Arising out of the last sentence of the answer to question No. 4:—

Is it felt that any "actual liability" rests on the Colony for British Chinese lepers (i.e., their maintenance in leper asylums), and, if so, in what way is that liability discharged.

A. The answer is in the affirmative. Should such cases occur it is considered that the liability would be discharged if arrangements were made for the maintenance of the patient in a suitable leper asylum outside the Colony.

According to my information, on account of the large number of lepers found in this Colony this year, and of the difficulty of getting rid of them by sending them out of the Colony, some have been sent into the infectious Hospital, by way of a temporary measure, and as far as I know, there are no recognised hospitals or other facilities for the treatment of this disease.

From what I understand, no effective means exists for preventing the return of lepers sent away from the Colony, and many of those sent away are virtually condemned to lingering deaths because it is so difficult, if not impossible for them to get into an institution where they can be cured.

A Sad Case

Recently, a particularly sad case was brought to my notice by a well-known British medical practitioner. A young Chinese servant girl, who had been in the Colony for many years, saw this doctor on what she thought was a troublesome rash on her neck. She had been in the service of well-known families as a baby amah. On a thorough examination, the doctor found that she was suffering from this dread disease and told her so. She was frantic and heatedly denied she had lost her virginity, being under the prevalent impression which exists among the ignorant Chinese mass that this disease could only be contracted through sexual intercourse. The doctor was very keen to treat her, as he was convinced that she could be cured, but as there was no known place in which she could be effectively segregated, he could not do anything in this respect. After a great deal of trouble, he managed to arrange for her to be sent to one of the well-known settlements in which treatment was given, but no doubt succumbing to a natural fear regarding her future, she did not turn up and the doctor lost all trace of her. Presumably she is at large.

You may remember, that some months ago, it was reported in the newspapers that a young man, on being arrested for soliciting in the streets, was found to be a leper. In the absence of authentic information, one cannot be dogmatic as to the number of lepers in the Colony, but, according to my information, there can be little doubt that the number is on the increase. No one can blame them for trying to prevent their disease from being discovered, in view of the consequence of such discovery.

I am aware of the stock argument against the provision of any asylum for lepers in the Colony. It is suggested that all the lepers from Kwantung would flock to it. But is this really a valid argument for not providing reasonable facilities in the Colony for the segregation, treatment and cure of lepers, especially as regards those who have been resident in the Colony for a substantial period?

According to the answers to Sir William's questions one in-patient in 1930 claimed Hongkong birth, but he was unable to substantiate his claim so he was treated as a Chinese subject and presumably sent away. In any case, the Governments position is that, in regard to British Chinese lepers, the Government considers that its liability would be discharged if arrangements were made for the maintenance of the patient in a suitable leper asylum outside the Colony.

I believe I am right in saying that great advance in recent years has been made in Medical Science in the treatment and cure of lepers and I consider it a terrible cruelty to deny them such treatment.

It seems to me that from the point of view of infection, and also on humanitarian grounds, the present attitude of indifference should give place to one of active aid.

I therefore respectfully submit, that the whole problem should be reviewed and that facilities be provided for the treatment and cure of residents in the Colony, using the word "residents" in its ordinary meaning, and with safeguards to prevent the abuse of such facilities by persons who have no claim to such facilities i.e., not being residents.

MR. WONG KWONG TIN

Supporting Mr. Lo, Mr. Wong Kwong Tin said:

In seconding the motion I must say that what Mr. Lo has said, warrants the sympathy of the members of this Board. I remember that when I was a Visiting Justice of the Hospitals some years ago, I came across a leper patient in the Tung Wah Hopital and I, there and then, drew the attention of the Directors to the improper housing of lepers with other patients. Ever since, lepers have been sent to the Tung Wah Infections Hospital. We do not want to see lepers coming to our door steps begging for food and clothing, but as they cannot get work and have nothing to eat and wear they are forced to beg. It is therefore, necessary that some provision should be made for them. We cannot allow them to starve.

It is my earnest desire that the Government should direct members of the medical staff in their spare time to discover means of combating this horrible disease, in addition to providing facilities for the segregation of lepers. This suggestion, I am well aware, depends on the question of their maintenance.

DR. BASTO

Speaking in support of the motion, Dr. R. A. de Castro Basto said: I am very glad Mr. Lo has brought up this question of leprosy before the Board and it is no doubt one of the problems that has been long crying for attention. It is a fact that only a part of the great problem of the treatment and care of diseases and suffering is found within the working classes of the population. The motion urges the tackling of this question "in the interest of public health and on humane grounds," and it is on the latter aspect of the question that I wish to take this opportunity to say a few words. As honorary Ophthalmic Surgeon to the Kwong Wah Hospital I have occasion to come into contact week in and eek out with a most miserable and wretched section of our suffering population, and each time I come away with the thought that given the wealth and prosperity of this colony, it is inconceivable that so little is done to relieve the suffering of the poor. When one considers that for want of accommodation and of the necessary funds, some hospitals are obliged to put two very ill persons on one plank of wood called a "bed" in a ward already more than full; when one considers that not a day passes without some unfortunate coolie loosing an eye, an arm, or a leg or even his life while working for some wealthy and prosperous concern, and when we think that neither he nor his family has any compensation, then I think that it is time that something should be done in some other direction for his benefit or at least to fulfill in part our sense of moral responsibility.

The argument that to treat lepers in Hong Kong would be equivalent to treating the lepers of the whole of the neighbouring province does not hold water in that if we find it good enough to utilise of the labour which comes from outside we must also not hesitate either to give these labourers their due.

Recommendations

It must be admitted that the question is difficult of solution but that is no reason for leaving it out altogether, and as an initial step towards this direction I would recommend the following:

1. Make leprosy a notifiable disease. The disease would then come under control of the proper authorities and statistics could be collected with regard to its incidence in the Colony.
2. In order to encourage practioners in the diagnosis of the disease, bacteriological examination for leprosy should be made free of charge.
3. Establish a leprosarium. This could be used as a centre for treatment and investigation of the disease and also for segregating the infectious cases. A leprosy asylum need not be too large for it could be reserved only for housing the so-called "open" cases only i.e. cases which because of their open sores are liable to communicate the disease to others. The cases of "closed" leprosy, i.e. those without sores and therefore non-infectious cases could be treated as out-patients.
4. If it were not possible to build a leprosarium then the next best thing would be to establish a "leprosy clinic" in conjunction with any of the government hospitals. It would serve as an initial step in any way.

DR. LI SHU-FAN

Dr. Li Shu-Fan said: I should like to make a few remarks on the subject of segregation.

In the first place, according to the light of present day experience, the practice of indiscriminate and wholesale segregation of lepers is now considered to be out of date. The main reason is, that it defeats its own object by inducing the concealment of cases, which may continue to spread the infection to others.

It is now definitely proved that most, if not all of the early cases are non-infective and also the fact that most of the early cases are curable. There must be therefore no discouragement to their application for early treatment. Hence it is inhumane to subject them to mere segregation which would deprive them the chance of a cure.

The relevant question is, is it the routine practice of the Government to dispatch cases of leprosy across the borders as soon as they are diagnosed? If it is, then I think the practice is untenable and requires revision. Unless we are satisfied that they are treated humanely and scientifically as is being done elsewhere, such as in India and the Phillipines we are not doing our duty.

The question of expense should not be a serious obstacle, because it was found in India that it is possible to treat a large number of cases at the expense of only a few shillings per head per annum.

I think it is high time that we should shoulder the responsibility and to face the situation squarely.

I wish therefore to subscribe myself to the motion.

THE MOTION

Mr. M. K. Lo, pursuant to notice, moved:—

"That this Board is of the opinion that, in the interests of public health, and on humane grounds, the whole problem of lepers in the Colony should be reviewed by the Government with a view to providing facilities for the segregation, treatment and cure of lepers, and with any necessary safeguards for preventing such facilities being abused by those who are not resident of the Colony".

The motion was then put to the vote and was carried, all the unofficial members voting in favour.

Mr. M. K. Lo also asked: "With reference to my previous questions, and to the Head of the Sanitary Department's answers thereto, will the Head of the Sanitary Department be kind enough to ascertain, and inform this Board, whether the Malariologist has now completed his survey, and whether his report will be available for the information of the members of this Board?".

The president of the Board, Mr. R. A. D. Forrest replied: Surveys are still in progress. A full report for the year 1933 will be found in the Annual Medical and Sanitary Report which is now in the hands of the printer.

Those present at the meeting were: Mr. R. A. D. Forrest (president), Hon. Mr. R. M. Henderson (Vice-Chairman), Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith, (Secretary for Chinese Affairs), Dr. J. M. Gray (Medical Officer of Health), Mr. Wong Kwong Tin, Mr. M. K. Lo, Dr. Li Shu Fan, Dr. R. A. de Castro Basto, Mr. L. C. F. Bellamy, Mr. C. J. Roe (secretary) and Mr. Im Ping Cheung (assist. secretary).

THE SCIENCE OF RADIATION

INTERESTING TALK BY REV. FATHER BYRNE TO ROTARIANS

New Aid To Solving Worldly Problems

Members of the Rotary Club and their friends had the privilege yesterday of hearing a most instructive address by Rev. Father G. Byrne, M.A., S.J., who spoke upon the subject of "Radiesthesie."

The address was rendered in non-technical language and according to Father Byrne, the science was only in its infancy, but already great possibilities lay ahead.

So interested was the audience in what the speaker had to say, that a good number stayed behind after the lunch to see the science practically demonstrated by Fr. Byrne. In the course of the demonstration it was shown that several of the subjects suffered from various bodily complaints, all of which proved to be correct.

Mr. M. K. Lo presided at the meeting, and the attendance was the largest the Club has had for a long time.

In the course of his address, Fr. Byrne said:—

A few weeks ago there was mention in the "Press" of a Darwin Memorial Expedition to be organised by American scientists. The list of sciences to be enriched was imposing in number as in nomenclature. When asked to address you I scanned it for a suitable subject, sadly indeed because of my ignorance. What for instance could I say about myrmecology except that I have been unscientific enough to use antrol to destroy the little beggars! "Oathology"—if it means, (I am sure it does not), what an old schoolmaster of mine would have said it should mean, the science of oaths, might be suitable enough for a clergyman, but indiscreet amongst Rotarians. The indiscreet science I have ventured to select is a baby science which claims privilege of peeping into you pockets and into your hearts.

Secrets From Your Photos

It claims a power of peeping where the medical man may be blind, and it claims to wrest secrets from your photograph as well as from yourself.

On June 27th, 1932, under the patronage of the distinguished scientist, Mr. Branly, a group of experimentalists met in Paris to discuss the results of their efforts in exploring the nature of radiations which proceed from different bodies including the human body. They claimed to have reached conclusions scientifically worked out, capable of being scientifically stated and, therefore, justifying the inclusion of "Radiesthesie" among natural sciences.

We are all familiar with the idea of radiation, wave movement. Heat waves are radiated from a fire. They affect me. Even though I do not see them or their source, I become conscious of them immediately on entering their field of action as when I approach a wall between me and the kitchen fire. The waves to which we most readily react are heat waves, light waves, sound waves. We are not so sensitive to other waves as, for instance magnetic waves which may affect the watch in our pockets. Moreover sensitiveness is a very variable quality. One, with a good musical ear, can pick up tones lost on his neighbour; another is a keen discerner of colour: there may be a wide range of colour blindness. The power of water divining, of detecting the presence of gold and silver, are well known examples of the relative sensitiveness of different, people to waves round about them. This fact was the starting point of the Radiesthesie experimentalists.

Every Man His Ray

They found that a piece of metal placed on a table communicated to a suitable pendulum certain characteristic movements:

1. There was a magnetic image playing about it like a ray of sun on the water. The kind of ray varied with the metal.
2. A solar ray or straight line linking the sun and the object.
3. A fundamental ray, fixed in direction for each body.

We know that every atom in a body is a centre of whirling movement. If no two of us have the

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LONDON NOTES

By The Air Mail

(From Our Own Correspondent)
London, Aug. 11.

I learn to-day that under an arrangement between the Air Ministry and the Board of Trade the coastguards at every one of the 300 stations around the British coasts have received instructions to include all aircraft as well as sea craft in their primary duties as a life-saving service. This co-operation between the coastguard service and the Air Ministry has hitherto been practised only on a limited and isolated scale, chiefly along the South Coast of England, but in future it shall be the duty of coastguards to report by telephone to the nearest aerodrome any case of aircraft in distress, and to render all possible assistance to any seaplane that makes a forced landing within sight of the coast.

MR. CHAMBERLAIN—ACTING PRIME MINISTER

A rather unusual position exists at present in regard to the executive control of national affairs. The Prime Minister's second deputy, Mr. Chamberlain, is now in charge while he is on holiday in Scotland. Mr. Ramsay MacDonald is in Canada; and, incidentally, without any intention of visiting Chicago. Mr. Baldwin went off to Aix-les-Bains to-day, and the mantle of responsibility has fallen on the Chancellor of the Exchequer. In few other countries could absence from the centre of Government of the three leading statesmen be possible. Mr. Chamberlain's holiday is not likely, however, to be interrupted by the necessity of calling an early Cabinet. Meanwhile the Whitehall machine goes on fulfilling its administrative functions, and the staff at 10 Downing Street are the eyes and ears of absent Cabinet Ministers, ready to get into immediate touch with them should the occasion arise.

RAILWAY WAGES DISCUSSIONS

A consensus of opinion among railway union organisers assembled here to-day to prosecute the case for a restoration of the wage cuts made in 1931 suggests that the companies are not unsympathetic to their approach. Union leaders to whom I spoke are fairly optimistic about the outcome of the joint discussions to-morrow, believing that the companies may make a gesture that will afford some alleviation, either immediately or in the near future, of the percentage wage reductions. This can only be done, of course, if the revenue shows considerable improvement. It remains to be seen how far this course, if adopted, will meet the demands of the N.U.R. executive, who are pledged to work for the cancellation of the cuts.

AN ALL-STEEL WATERLOO BRIDGE

Engineers of the London County Council, with the co-operation of technical experts of the Port of London Authority, are busily engaged now in deciding the preliminary plans for the new Waterloo Bridge, and the trend of the investigations and other considerations leave no doubt that the ultimate decision will be in favour of an all-steel structure. The work of demolishing the old structure is estimated to take two years, but the authorities hope that this period may be shortened. At all events, the planning of the new bridge is well in hand. It is intended to invite tenders for the contract within less than 12 months from now in order that the structural work that can be done in the engineering yards can be well advanced by the time the demolition of the existing bridge is completed.

NEXT YEAR'S HAT

After seeing an advance show of Paris hats for 1935 I am tempted to console ladies with the old saw—"Dont worry, it may never happen." The display included Robinson Crusoe cap, Francois Villon hats, messenger-boy helmets, and Persian lamb creations only too aptly called Droshky Drivers. Among the less alarming ideas, however, there were one or two very attractive possibilities, especially the new wide-brimmed models in heavy straw and light felt. Both were intended for the late autumn, and the brims had been made ornamental without any tendencies towards freakishness. The crowns were of medium depth, and had just enough grip to hold out against a wind, which was more than could be said of the shallow summer ones. It is to be hoped that this virtue will not be blotted out by the latest "angle," as next years hats will be worn at the

SILENCE NIGHT IN LONDON

Less Noise Laws To Begin

London, Aug. 27.

Londoners are referring to to-night as "Silence Night" for the Ministry of Transport's order forbidding the blowing of motor-horns within an area of five miles of Charing Cross comes into force half hour before midnight.

For the time being, the police have instructions only to warn those who contravene the order but public opinion is strongly supporting the efforts to make the nights quiet for Londoners to sleep in.

It is not only the hooters that are to be dealt with by the Ministry. They are considering measures to prevent the thoughtless slamming of motor doors and to discourage clattering gearboxes and roaring exhausts.

Meanwhile, with hornblowing prohibited, the Minister asks motorists and pedestrians to exercise especial care.—
British Wireless.

BENEFITS TO WORKERS

State Insurance And Instruction

London, Aug. 27.

About 700,000 juvenile workers not now insured will from next Monday reap the benefits of State Insurance as a result of the provision made in the Unemployment Act for lowering the age of entry.

Hitherto although most boys and girls leave school and obtain employment shortly after reaching 14 they have not come under the age of 16 and there has, in consequence, been a gap of two years.

This has meant that the majority of boys and girls, on passing out of schools, have for two years also passed out of the range of the supervision and guidance provided by the organisations specially set up to give them advice and assistance during the early years of their industrial life.

After September 3, practically all juveniles of 14 years and over who are working for an employer will be insurable, unless they are employed in agriculture or domestic service in private houses or are apprentices receiving no wages.

COMPULSORY EDUCATION

The Unempoyment Act provides for the establishment of courses of instruction for unemployed boys and girls between the school-leaving age and 18 years of age.

For the first time, a statutory obligation is imposed on the education authorities to provide such courses and for the first time the Labour Minister is empowered to require the attendance at such courses of instruction of any unemployed boy or girl of this age.

Attendance at a course of instruction will be enforced in the same way as attendance at school.

The object of these courses of instruction is to prevent the demoralisation which so soon threatens boys and girls when they have nothing to occupy their hands and minds.—
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DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

To-day

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 29.

Anniversaries and Holidays.—Beheading of St. John Baptist.

Auctions.—Lammert's Sale of Household Furniture, 8 Peak Mansion, 11 a.m.

Cinemas

King's:—"The Invisible Man"
Queen's:—"Operator No. 13"
Central: — "Carl Hagenbeck's Circus"
Oriental:—"Up To The Neck"
World:—"The Avenger"
Alhambra:—"You Said A Mouthful"
Majestic:—"Fanny Foly Herself"
Star:—"One Way Passage"

Meetings

Annual Kowloon Golf Club, European Y.M.C.A., West Lounge, 6 p.m.
Indian Recreation Club, Sookunpoo, 5.15 p.m.

Miscellaneous

Whist Drive, Seamen's Institute, 9 p.m.
Women's Guild, Kowloon Union Church, 10 a.m.
Moon:—VII Moon, 20th Day.

Principal Mails

Outward for Europe via Suez by Antenor, 2.30 p.m.

Sports

Meetings.—Indian R.C., 5.15 p.m.; Kowloon Golf Club (Y.M.C.A. West Lounge), 6 p.m.
Sunrise:—6.04 a.m. Sunset:—6.43 p.m.
Tides.—High at 0.07 and 12.20; Low at 5.55 and 18.00.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 30.

Auctions.—Lammert's Sale of Household Furniture, etc., 2.30 p.m.

Cinemas.

King's:—"No More Women"
Queen's:—"Operator No. 13"
Central: — "Carl Hagenbeck's Circus"
Oriental:—"Up To The Neck"
World:—"Stark Nature"
Alhambra:—"The Only Girl"
Majestic: — "George White's Scandals"
Star:—"One Way Passage"

Meetings

Theosophical Society, 17 Queen's Road Central, Study Class, 6 p.m.
Hong Kong Philatelic Society, "S. C. M. Post" Board Room, 5.30 p.m.
Monthly Meeting of the Bible Union of China, 5.30 p.m.

Miscellaneous

Whist Drives, Civil Service Cricket Club, 8.45 p.m.
R. A. O. B. Club, 8.30 p.m.
Entry closes for Trinity College of Music Theory Examination.
Moon.—VII Moon, 21st Day.

Principal Mails

Inward from America by Pres. Coolidge and Empress of Russia.

Social Functions

Toc H. Dinner and Meeting, Lane Crawford's Restaurant, 8 p.m.

Sports

Aquatics.—South Wales Borderers Meet (V.R.C.); Twentieth Battery, Royal Artillery Meet (Y.M.C.A.).
Sunrise.—6.05 a.m. Sunset.—6.43 p.m.
Tides.—High at 0.41 and 13.12; Low at 6.58 and 18.23.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 31.

Anniversaries and Holidays.—Queen of the Netherlands born, 1880. Official end of the War, 1921.

Lectures

Mrs. Forster Addresses the Christian Fellowship Meeting, Helena May Institute, 10.30 a.m.

Miscellaneous

Claims against the Estate of Flying Officer G. R. Murphy, Royal Air Force Base, Kai Tak, due.
Young People's Society Whist Drive, Kowloon Union Church Hall, 9 p.m.
Moon.—VII Moon, 22nd Day.

Principal Mails

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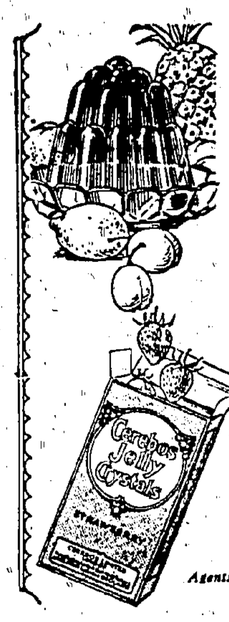

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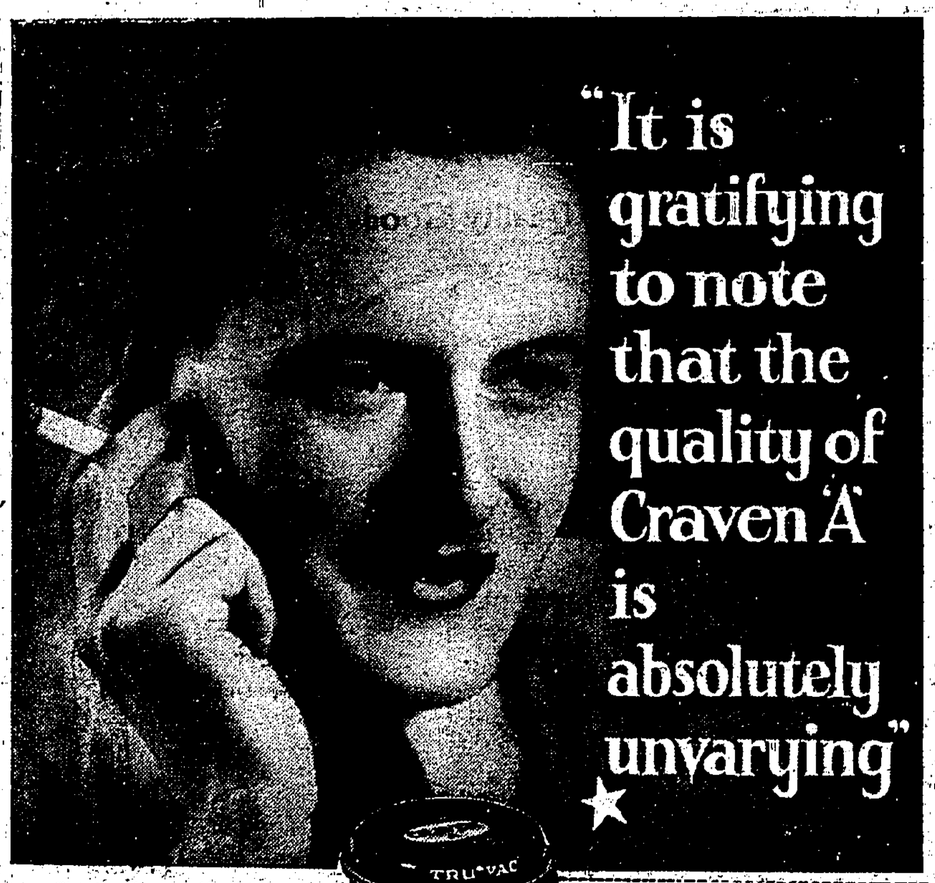

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BRITISH TRADE RECOVERY

Lies In Export Markets

(Special Air-Mail Service)

London, Aug. 11.

The increase in unemployment recorded to-day has caused not a few commentators to recall Mr. Runciman's candid speech in the House a fortnight ago, when he dared to hint that the home market had reached "saturation point," and that the only hope for British trade recovery now lies in the export markets.

There are people who should know who attach the greatest importance to that speech. They even go so far as to say that the speech was a threat, by which they mean that Mr. Runciman was signalling to Mr. Elliot that he is content to be hamstrung no longer in his attempts to expand British export trade through bilateral agreements by Mr. Elliot's determination to restrict imports of foreign agricultural produce to a minimum in the interests of his marketing schemes.

Mr. Runciman was speaking shortly after the breakdown of his negotiations with the Dutch Government. They failed, it may be remembered, because, thanks to Mr. Elliot, we could not offer Holland a better market for her agricultural produce. Mr. Runciman, if he made full confession, would probably say he disliked Mr. Elliot's policy anyhow, but he is not the man to allow it to shipwreck his own policy, even if he thought it sound. The Runciman-Elliot battle is by no means fought out yet.

NEW ULSTER AIRPORT

London, Aug. 25.

The new Ulster Airport at Newtownards County Down to be opened next Friday stands on the estate of the Air Minister, Lord Londonderry, through whose enterprise it has been constructed. It will have a radio station with latest direction-finding apparatus.

LONDON 'PHONE LINK WITH WORLD

200 Girls To Deal With Calls

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug. 11.

When regular telephonic communication with Japan is opened in the autumn the world system, of which London is the hub, will be almost complete. China and Albania alone remain outside it.

The link with China is already under consideration. That there are no technical difficulties was proved some time ago when the London Post Office was able to speak to the liner Belgenland in Shanghai harbour.

Telephone authorities here have more than once tried to bring Albania into the circle. But that State does not posses a very highly developed telephone service, and has so far shown no desire to link it with the outside world

There are 35,000,000 telephone subscribers in the world, and to-day Britain can talk to 33,000,000 of them. What is more important, most of the distant countries can speak to one another only through London.

"Hello" In Many Tongues

London is the world's exchange Every call from Europe to America, Asia, Australia, and South Africa must pass through London. Even for comparatively near neighbours, this is the only link. When Cape Town wants to speak to Cairo, it is London that takes the call. When the merchant in Bombay talks to his customer in Sydney, it is a telephone girl in Carterlane, E.C., who asks: "Number, please!"

Before the war the only countries with which Britain was in regular telephonic contact were France and Belgium. There was also an unsatisfactory and intermittent link with Sweden.

To-day the volume of traffic is so great that the International Exchange needs 200 girl operators to deal with the calls. All of them speak French and German, and many Italian and Dutch as well. Schoolbook knowledge of these languages is not enough. The girls possess a fluent conversational style.

Detective Skill

Their work teaches them detective skill as well, and Scotland Yard might envy the speed at which the International Exchange can trace a "wanted" man on the slenderest clues.

One day a call came through from Melbourne saying that an Australian Boy Scout in England would probably be telephoning his home. There was no name or number given, but the London telephone girl was not at a loss. She rang up the Scout headquarters in London and found that a party of Australian boys was touring Somerset. Tracking the Scouts on their travels, she learned that they were due to have tea at a certain cafe at five p.m. Precisely at five, London rang up that Somerset tea shop, and the Melbourne boy was soon talking to his family.

TRIAL OF SEVEN BENGALIS

Sequel To Shooting Outrage

Bengal, August 15.

"It is better to die a hero than to die of disease and misery," is alleged statement of Babindranath the Banerjee, one of the seven Bengalis, including a girl, whose trial for attempting to kill Sir John Anderson, the Governor of Bengal, opened in Darjeeling yesterday.

Mr. P. G. Mookerjee, in opening the Crown case before a special tribunal, quoted Banerjee's alleged confession.

The seven Bengalis are charged with conspiracy, being in possession of firearms, attempting to commit murder, and attempting the life of the Governor, Sir John Anderson, at the Lebong racecourse on May 8.

Sedition And Violence

Mr. Mookerjee declared to-day that the accused were members of an Association whose object was to enlist recruits and innoculate their minds with the virus of sedition and violence. The members, he said, were finally given revolutionary literature in order to prepare them for the assassination of high officials.

The idea of assassinating Sir John Anderson, Mr. Mookerjee stated, was conceived in February and was settled as an action for the Darjeeling Races on Governor's Cup Day, May 8.

Sir John Anderson was sitting in his box with a party including his only daughter, when, at the conclusion of the race for the Governor's Cup, several shots were fired at him from close range.

Fortunately, neither he nor any of his party was hit, although one bullet slightly injured a woman spectator.

THE GALATEA

The Launching Ceremony

(Special Air-Mail Service)

London, Aug. 11.

The launch of the cruiser Galatea is to take place to-day at the yard of the Scott's shipbuilding and Engineering Company at Greenock. The naming ceremony will be performed by Lady Alice Shaw-Stewart, wife of Sir Hugh Shaw-Stewart, Lord Lieutenant of the County of Renfrew.

The Galatea is the first of the three cruisers of the 1932 programme to go afloat. The others are the Sydney, which is to be launched on the Tyne next month, and the Apollo, to be launched in October at Devenport Dockyard. Whereas the two latter ships are of the modified Leander type, of 7,000 tons, the Galatea is the second ship of the smaller Arethusa type, of 5,200 tons, the nameship of which was put afloat at Chatham Dockyard on March 6 last.

The new Galatea will be the sixth of her name in the Royal Navy since about 1778. The first, a 20-gun ship, was successful in operations against privateers during the War of American Independence. Her successor was a 32-gun frigate which took part in Warren's operations at Quiberon and elsewhere in 1795-97, and from 1804 onwards had a number of gallant exploits to her credit, including the capture of the French ships Reunion and Lynx. The third Galatea, of 42 guns, was the subject of an interesting experiment at Portsmouth in 1829, when the vessel was propelled out of harbour by winches worked by the crew, a device which was thought to be valuable if ships were becalmed in war time, but which the advent of steam rendered unnecessary. In the fourth Galatea, 26-gun screw frigate, the late Duke of Edinburgh, then captain in command, left England in 1867 for a cruise round the world, and in 1868 was at Sydney when an attempt was made on his life. In 1887 there was launched another Galatea, armoured cruiser, and the last of the name was a light cruiser launched at Dalmuir in 1914, which served in the Grand Fleet throughout the War, and when flagship of Admiral Alexander-Sinclair was the first vessel to sight enemy ships at the battle of Jutland. She was scrapped in 1921.

DISPOSITION OF CHINA FLEET

Kent.—Weihaiwei.
Suffolk.—Weihaiwei.
Cumberland.—Weihaiwei.
Cornwall.—Weihaiwei.
Eagle.—Weihaiwei.
Adventure.—Weihaiwei.
Berwick.—Plymouth, arrived on August 24.
Capetown.—Passage Hong Kong, arrives on September 22.
Sandwich.—Weihaiwei.
Bridgewater.—Hankow, sails 3/9 arrives Shanghai 7/9.
Folkstone.—Shanghai, sails 8/9 arrives Hankow 13/9.
Falmouth.—Weihaiwei.
Grimsby.—Passage Singapore, arrives Singapore 23/10.
Keppel.—Weihaiwei.
Whitehall.—Weihaiwei.
Wishart.—Weihaiwei.
Verity.—Weihaiwei.
Wild Swan.—Peitaiho.
Witch.—Hong Kong.
Whitshed.—Hong Kong.
Wren.—Hong Kong.
Veteran.—Hong Kong.
Medway.—Weihaiwei.
Rainbow.—Weihaiwei.
Orpheus.—Weihaiwei.
Phoenix.—Weihaiwei.
Otus.—Weihaiwei.
Olympus.—Weihaiwei.
Odin.—Weihaiwei.
Perseus.—Weihaiwei.
Oswald.—Hong Kong.
Osiris.—Hong Kong.
Pandora.—Passage Weihaiwei.
Proteus.—Passage Weihaiwei.
Parthian.—Passage Weihaiwei.
Bruce.—Weihaiwei.

CEYLON AND THE QUOTA

"This Arbitrary Imposition"

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug. 11.

The Ceylon State Council, after a debate lasting two days, passed yesterday a resolution protesting against the enforcement, by Order in Council, of the quota system for Japanese goods.

A request was made by the Council to the Board of Ministers to "take immediate steps to nullify the injurious effects on the people of such an arbitrary imposition."

The Order in Council imposing quotas for Japanese textiles was imposed at the direction of Sir P. Cunliffe-Lister, the Secretary of State for the Colonies, owing to the refusal of the Ceylon Board of Ministers to introduce the necessary legislation to regulate imports of foreign cotton and silk piece goods.

Feeling in Ceylon ran high on the question of a quota, and recently a mass meeting of workers passed a resolution protesting against "the penalising of Ceylon labour for the benefit of Lancashire by forcing the Japanese quota on the colony." The quota, it was stated, would have the effect of greatly increasing the price of clothing for the poorer inhabitants.

British cars' Lead

The United Kingdom is not only maintaining but actually increasing its lead over foreign competitors in the motor-car industry in Ceylon. This is shown by the latest motor-vehicle statistics issued.

Out of a total of 196 motor-vehicles imported into Ceylon during June, 120 were from the United Kingdom, 35 from Canada, while the United States was third with 29.

A year ago the United States led by 91 in the total number of cars registered in Ceylon.—

Jamaica And Japanese Imports

It is learned that a bill will be introduced in the Jamaica Legislature during the autumn session increasing the tariff on certain goods of foreign manufacture, including hardware and cement.

The object of the bill is to minimise Japanese competition with British imports.—

GERMAN VOTE NOT PLANNED

Gathering At Shanghai

Shanghai, Aug. 18

While Germans in many parts of the world away from the Vaterland will cast absentee votes in the presidential plebiscite on Sunday, the Shanghai German community has made no plans to participate in the voting.

In Shanghai such balloting would require the chartering of a German steamship, which would have to be at sea at least three miles off the coast before voting would be legal. It was not made clear whether Germans travelling in the international zone in German ships on the day of the plebiscite could demand that their vote be entered, but such voting is not regarded as having practical significance here. In other parts of the world—Turkey, for instance—special arrangements have been made for regarding the "steamer vote."

The German community generally will hold a Hitler support meeting at the German School at 9 o'cock on Monday evening. *Lieut.-Col. Hermann Kriebel*, German Consul General, and other leaders of the German group will attend. It is estimated that Shanghai has 1,500 German residents.

MR. HAYLEY MORRIS

Marries Girl In Crowborough

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug. 15.

It became known to-day that Mr. Hayley Morris, of Pippingford Park, Nutley, Sussex, was married to Miss Marie Louise Ross, of "The Crow's Nest," Nutley, at Crowborough Register Office on Thursday, July 26. Bride's age given as 25—Mr. Morris 46.

MANCHUKUO AS A MARKET

British Industries Mission

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug. 11.

The Federation of British Industries it is now announced, is shortly to send a small mission to Manchukuo in order to investigate the possibilities of extending British trade with that market, and the mission will first pay a visit to Japan and discuss the position with traders and trade organisations there. This preliminary visit to Japan may be regarded in many different ways by different observers, but it seems probable that, from the trading point of view, it is a wise step. Hitherto a large proportion of British trade with Manchukuo has been done through Shanghai, but in the present political situation the tendency is for trade between China and Manchukuo—including trade in which a Chinese port is merely used as a point for storage and transhipment—to contract and for trade between Japan and Manchukuo to expand.

Mr. J. Kern, presiding recently at the annual meeting of the Yokohama and Tokio Foreign Board of Trade, pointed out that most of the decisions in connection with the development of Manchukuo rest in Japanese hands, and he suggested therefore that foreign firms which wish to participate in the contracts could best do so through the European and American firms already established in Japan, which have full knowledge of conditions and of the necessary links with the prospective buyers. The mission, during its visit to Japan, should be able to study the value of this suggestion and the possibility of adopting it.

The need for making new arrangements for distributing British goods in Manchukuo was stressed by Mr. J. C. Hutchison, the Commercial Secretary at Harbin, in his report on trading conditions in Manchuria which was included in the report of the Department of Overseas Trade, published in December on trade and economic conditions in China. British cotton goods, Mr. Hutchison said, were largely sent to Manchukuo through Shanghai, and new means of conducting business will be necessary if Japan does not capture all the orders. Woollen goods are usually shipped to Dairen, and so are chemicals and medicines, machine tools and instruments, and cigarettes and tobacco. It will be noticed that the members of the mission include business men who are connected with finance and insurance, wool textiles, and iron and steel, and it seems probable that, as in China, the openings for British goods in Manchukuo will be rather for heavy capital goods, such as machinery, constructional materials, &c., whose purchase may require extended credits, than for consumption goods, such as textiles, for, though British woollens, oils and chemicals, and cigarettes will doubtless continue to find some market, the tendency will probably be for Japan to secure an increasing share of the trade in those articles. One thing, however, seems certain; recent events have made previous views about market possibilities in Manchukuo out of date, and a new survey of the openings and of the best methods of exploiting them should be of great help in preventing an undue shrinkage of British trade with the country.

A SCOT IN JAPAN

"Spy Hunt" Recalled

(Special Air Mail Service)

Edinburgh, Aug. 11.

Mr. W. G. Blaikie Murdoch, the writer on art, who has died in Edinburgh, spent some years in Japan, and learned the Japanese language well enough to be able to write in it. He used to tell that after the war broke out the Japanese authorities made the strictest inquiries regarding him, checking his statements by reference to Edinburgh. The "spy hunt" was as brisk in Japan in these days, as in our own country, and every stranger was suspect.

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CAPTAIN COOK THE LOCH NESS MONSTER

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(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug. 11.

It will not be possible for Woodfull or for any other member of the Australian cricket team to attend the dedication of the obelisk which the Government of Victoria, Australia, is sending to mark the spot at Great Ayton, near Middlesbrough, where once stood the home of Captain Cook.

The obelisk will arrive at Hull by the s.s. Hobson's Bay, due on August 15. Efforts are being made to synchronise the dedication of this obelisk with the opening of Captain Cook's cottage in Melbourne, so that the peoples of the British Empire might listen by radio to these ceremonies.

The obelisk consists of thirty-nine stones, and will, when erected, be thirteen feet in height. It will be a replica of the one at Cape Everard, and the granite has been quarried less than forty feet from the Cape Everard obelisk. The stones have been packed in some of the cases which carried the cottage to Melbourne, from Great Ayton, and Mr. Rutherford, architect, of York, will supervise its erection.

It was hoped that the Australian cricketers would be able to attend the Great Ayton ceremony, but the Town Clerk of Middlesbrough heard yesterday from Mr. Bushby, the team manager, that it would not be possible to include this ceremony in the team's programme.

DR. ROBERT LAWS

Buried At Aberdeen

(Special Air Mail Service)

Edinburgh, Aug. 11.

Dr. Robert Laws, the famous Scottish missionary, was buried yesterday in the churchyard of St. Machar's Cathedral, Old Aberdeen, where his wife and parents lie.

The coffin was met at Aberdeen Joint Station and carried to the church of St. Nicholas, Union Grove.

Dr. Laws' daughter, Dr. A. Nyasa Laws, travelled on the same train from London. She was accompanied by the Rev. Henry Arnott, minister of Bristo Church, Edinburgh, and the session clerk of Bristo Church.

When Dr. Laws took up residence in Edinburgh he became a member of Bristo Church congregation, and an intimate friend of Mr. Arnott.

JAPANESE NAVAL ENVOY IN LONDON

(Special Air-mail Service)

London, Aug. 11.

Captain Iwashita, the Japanese naval officer bringing instructions from Tokio for the Japanese Ambassador in London regarding the preliminary negotiations of the 1935 Naval Conference, arrived in London via the United States yesterday. The naval discussions resume next month.

PUNISHED PRINCES

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug. 11.

The two Swedish ex-Princes, Lennart and Sigvard Bernadotte, who renounced their princely rights to marry commoners, may have to return all the decorations they received in their quality of Princes.

These include the highest Swedish decoration, the Order of the Seraphim.

Prince Lennart married Miss Karin Nissvandt, the daughter of a Stockholm business man, and Prince Sigvard married Fraulein Erika Patzek, a German girl. Both Princes were married in London.

NATIONAL MARITIME MUSEUM

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug. 11.

The Lords Commissioners of the Treasury have approved the appointment of the following to be trustees of the National Maritime Museum:—Lord Stanhope (chairman), Mr. R. C. Anderson, Admiral of the Fleet Lord Beatty, Sir William Berry, Sir James Caird, Captain H. F. David, Admiral Sir George Hope, Lord Ilchester, Sir Frederic Kenyon, Sir Percy Mackinnen, Admiral Sir Herbert W. Richmond, and Mr. Walter Runciman, M.P.

SEEN 21 TIMES IN FOUR WEEKS

(Special Air Mail Service.)

London, Aug. 11.

The four week's search for the Loch Ness monster, organized by Sir Edward Mountain, chairman of the Eagle, Star and British Dominions Insurance Company, Limited, came to an end last night. During the four weeks the creature was observed by the watchers on 21 occasions.

Photographing a marine creature proved extremely difficult, but photographs which clearly prove that there is some strange animal in the loch were secured and were made public last night. Since visibility and weather were generally bad during the last fortnight of the organized search, Sir Edward Mountain has decided to continue it for one more week, and has now put two much more powerful cameras in the most likely places.

Great precautions were taken, in organizing the search, to make certain that there would be no tampering with the films. Arrangements were made with Kodak, Limited, who supplied the cameras, that all films should be sealed and developed by the company's chief chemist. The 20 watchers and their supervisor, Captain James Fraser, were also equipped with powerful field glasses. The search has gone on under conditions of almost military precision, with a careful distribution of watchers at places most likely to yield satisfactory photographs.

THE CREATURE'S SPEED

In the main the accounts given by the watchers agree that when on the surface the monster displays a very small head relative to the size of its body, and moves along the water in such a way as to show either two or three humps. All accounts agree that when on the surface the creature moves with remarkable speed, which greatly complicates attempts to photograph it. On the other hand, it creates a tremendous wash, which can clearly be seen in one of the pictures reproduced.

The watchers were enthusiastic about their work, and some stayed on duty longer hours than they were asked to do in the hope of getting better photographs. The search has convinced most of the sceptics in the neighbourhood of the loch, and it has provided approximately 110 weeks of work for unemployed men in Inverness.

FAMOUS SCOTTISH HERD

To Be Sold By Auction

(Special Air Mail Service)

Glasgow, Aug. 11.

In every cattle-raising country in the world there will be interest in an event that will take place to-day in the upland quietude of Speyside. The Ballindalloch herd of Sir George Macpherson Grant, Bt., recognised as the fountain-head of Aberdeen-Angus blood, will there be dispersed by auction. Cattle values have changed vastly since the days of the war. Beef, the commercial basis of values, indeed has been so low in price that the Government is providing a subsidy for fat cattle from the beginning of next month. Though to-day's event is historic in the cattle-breeding world, the times are against expectations of prices of the old spectacular order. The herd has been in existence for over 100 years.

HIS WEIGHT IN GOLD

Gift From A Prince

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug. 15.

There is a native State in India called Gondal. The Maharajah who rules over it will shortly celebrate the 65th anniversary of his accession to the throne.

And this is how he will celebrate the anniversary:

He will be weighed against a quantity of gold which will afterwards be given away in charity. It is expected that £15,000 will thus be given away.

No doubt the people of Gondal will join heartily in praying that the Maharajah's shadow may never grow less!

ROYAL NAVY

Command Of The Hermes

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug. 15.

Captain the Hon. George Fraser, D.S.O., is to assume command at Devonport Dockyard to-day of the aircraft carrier Hermes. Since her return from China this ship has undergone large repairs at an estimated cost of £217,742. She is to commission for trials on Sept. 18, and should be out of dockyard hands by the end of October. The Hermes is to relieve the Eagle on the China Station, the Eagle returning to the Mediterranean.

Captain Fraser was Flag Lieutenant during the early part of the War to the late Rear-Admiral Sir Robert Arbuthnot, in the Orion and the Defence, Grand Fleet. He left this post to take an independent command, and in 1915-18 commanded successively the sloop Jonquil and the destroyer Raider, otherwise he might have lost his life in the Defence at Jutland. He was awarded the D.S.O. for good service in command of the destroyer Winchester in the Baltic. In 1928-29 he was executive officer of the Royal Yacht Victoria and Albert. He commanded the cruiser Calypso in 1930-32, and during 1933 attended the course at the Imperial Defence College.

FRED PERRY AND THE FILMS

£100,000 Required To Make Him 'Pro'

(Special Air-Mail Service).

London, August 11.

"People seem more interested in my marriage prospects than in my chances of lifting the American Championship again," said Fred Perry, the tennis star, to a reporter before he left London by the boat train yesterday on his way to America.

Perry is as he puts it—captain and manager of the team.

"Frank Wilde is my vice-captain and vice-manager, and in fact the two of us comprise the whole team," he said.

"I shall be away from home for eight months—time enough to grow a beard and so escape questions about my engagement," he added, a trifle ruefully.

Then For Australia

"After the American championships are finished I shall meet Miss Dorothy Round in California, and from there we are going on to Australia together."

"When you return in the spring are there to be wedding bells?" he was asked.

"All I can tell you," replied Perry with a chuckle, "is that I am properly sunk. Mary (Miss Mary Lawson, the film star to whom he is engaged) could not get here to see me off, as she is urgently needed at the Norbury Studios."

£100,000 to Turn Pro.

Referring to a film-contract rumour, Perry said:—"One thing I want to make perfectly clear—I am leaving England an amateur and I shall come back to England in March as an amateur.

"Suppose the L.T.A. tells the Universal Studios that if I appear in their film I shall lose my amateur status, it will cost Universal Studios at least £100,000 if they wish me to become a professional.

"As a matter of fact, the whole thing is very much in the air at the moment. The statement that I have already signed a contract to appear in this picture is absolutely untrue. If I appear in a film it will be with the sanction of the L.T.A."

ARBITRATION COMMETTEE

Nanking Aug. 21.

To deal with commercial disputes, the Ministries of Industry and Judicial Administration have decided to jointly organize an Arbitration Committee for the Disputes. The Committee will be inaugurated as soon as the regulations governing the organization thereof have been approved by the Executive Yuan.—*Kuo Min.*

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Heather Angel in Spring Time for Henry

"It makes little difference whether the audience has read the story or is familiar with the mystery climax. Screen presentations always give new life to familiar stories and lend new character to the principals.

"There is a definite demand for this type of picture as long as audiences are familiar with such characters as 'Philo Vance,' 'Charlie Chan,' or 'Sherlock Holmes.' They look forward to each adventure of these detectives of fiction with new interest.

"Any new twist that can be placed on a mystery play, such as the musical background in 'MURDER AT THE VANITIES,' wins immediate acclaim."

Marie Dressler

Marie Dressler won her place in the affections of a somewhat discouraged world, by her sympathetic understanding of its problems and her genius for seeing difficulties with a good-humoured eye and a confidence that they could be overcome. The attraction of her individuality did not depend upon youth or mere physical beauty—it was something more genuine and lasting than either. In fact, the successes of her younger days in the theatre did not approach her fame during the years after she "staged a comeback" which in itself brought inspiration to many thousands of persons faced by discouragement.

During a long career, she had many ups and downs. Several times she retired from the stage—only to return. She made several movies. She sold real estate in Florida. Then, during one of the "down" periods, a friend got her a part in the screen version of "Anna Christie"—and she was "up" again. A series of films followed, which were successful from every point of view. Producers and theatre magnates discovered she had great box-office appeal. Critics found nothing but wholesome and encouraging comedy in her work. The public accepted her as a new and sympathetic friend.

In recognition of her contribution to filmdom, and to the happiness of the world, the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences in 1931 awarded prizes to her and to Lionel Barrymore for the highest achievements on the motion picture screen during the year. That the good humour and generosity which characterized her film roles were genuine parts of her character is proved by hundreds of examples of her kindnesses to friends.

"THE LIFE OF VERGIE WINTERS"

Large And Brilliant Cast

What is said to be one of the greatest casts ever assembled for a motion picture, both from the standpoint of size and quality, brings RKO Radio Pictues' new dramatic romance, "The Life of Vergie Winters," to the screen. Ann Harding is starred in the title role, and John Boles is her leading man. It is the first picture in which these two popular stars have appeared together.

Playing the other woman in the romantic triangle about which the story revolves, is Helen Vinson, who came from the Broadway stage and quickly forged to the front ranks of screen sirens. Through a reverse twist to the usual triangle theme, she plays the role of Boles' wife in the current picture, with heroine figuring as the interloper to outside eyes.

Betty Furness, as Miss Harding's screen daughter, and Frank Albertson, are the principals in another romance. Still a third love affair involves Molly O'Day, Wesley Barry and Ben Alexander.

With the exception of Miss Vinson, all the players in the cast portray typical small-town characters. In populating the little town of the story, the studio employed hundreds of players, many of whom were stars or featured players of former days. Speaking roles are carried by upwards of sixty players, all of them seasoned performers of featured standing.

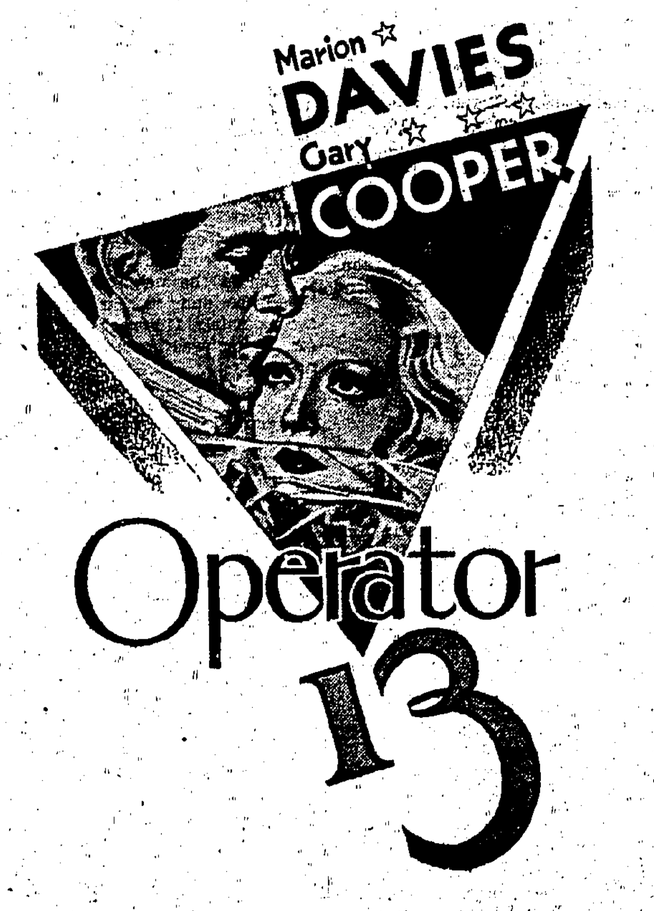
Creighton Chaney, son of the late Lon Chaney, has one of the most important of these secondary parts, that of the village suitor of Miss Harding. Edward Van Sloan, veteran character actor, portrays the star's father, a role that carries an important motivating part in the drama.

Donald Crisp, who has been acting in and directing pictures since the pioneer days of the screen, plays a menace role as an unscrupulous politician, and Alan Birmingham, an actor with a distinguished record on the stage, plays the small-town doctor who is also in love with Miss Harding.

Two of the most colourful roles are those of the old maid gossips; these are played by the well known character comedienne, Maidel Turner and Cecil Cuningham. Josephine Whittell, former star of Broadway musical comedies, figures importantly as the proprietor of a house of dubious reputation.

Others in the long list of well known players include Mary MacLaren, one of the most brilliant of stars of the silent era; Bonita Granville, child actress who portrays Miss Harding's daughter at the age of nine; Wallis Clark, Betty Mack, Sara Haden, Dorothy Sebastian, Helen Eby Rock, Caryl Lincoln, Virginia Kami and Dagmar Oakland.

The story covers an epochal span of twenty-two years, embracing the period from 1912 to the present. It revolves around the love of Vergie Winters, small-town milliner, and John Shadwell, the community's favourite son and representative in Congress. From a subject of sympathetic interest, their romance progresses through food for gossip, object of scandal and malicious persecution, and front-page sensation. Jane Murfin wrote the screen play, based on the story by Louis Bromfield. Alfred Santell directed.



FLICKERS FROM HOLLYWOOD

Dorothy Dell changed gowns eight times in one day's shooting of Paramount's Shoot The Works.

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Carl Brisson, star of Paramount's Murder At The Vanities, was born Carl Petersen. His name was changed by the famous director, Mouritz Stiller.

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Gertrude Michael, seen in Paramount's Murder At The Vanities, founded a radio station when she was 17 years old.

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Bing Crosby, appearing in Paramount's She Loves Me Not, is one of Hollywood's best golfers.

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Del Henderson, former director, now actor, has been added to the cast of Paramount's The Notorious Sophie Lang.

FLICKERS FROM HOLLYWOOD

SIMULTANEOUS PREMIERE

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug. 11.

At the beginning of September a remarkable film premiere will take place in this country. The American production "The World Moves On," which features the charming English actress, Miss Madeleine Carroll, will be trade shown in Scotland, England, Wales and Ireland on the same day. This is the first occasion upon which such a coincidental presentation has been organised, and it indicates the importance attached to this particular film by its makers. Glasgow will be among the first cities to see "The World Moves On," for it will be trade shown there on the forenoon of September 4, while at the same time in Manchester, Liverpool, Birmingham, Cardiff, Dublin, and other big cities duplicates will be screened. London critics will not see the film until the evening of the same day. This wide-spread simultaneous premiere is another advantage the screen has over the stage medium of entertainment.

The success of the new three-colour process as demonstrated in the two-reel featurette "LA CUCARCHA," produced by RKO Radio, has prompted that Company to make "The THREE MUSKETEERS" entirely in technicolour with the same process. Francis Lederer is set for one of the leading roles.

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The famous Broadway and London stage success "THE GAY DIVORCE" has been transferred to the screen, with Ginger Rogers and Fred Astaire in the leading roles. All the gay song-hits and elaborate dance creations of the stage version will be retained on the screen. Miss Rogers and Mr. Astaire, who made "The Carioca" dance famous will do another new ballroom dance known as "The Continental."

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Jerome Kern's famous operette is to be made into an elaborate musical by RKO Radio. A star-studded cast is being assembled for this production, with Irene Dunne, Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers so far set.

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Leslie Howard's latest film "OF HUMAN BONDAGE," adapted from Somerset Maughn's famous book is having a wonderful run of success in America. It was held over for the second week at the Radio Musical Hall, New York the first picture to do for past few months.

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Upon completion of "KENTUCKY KERNELS," a new musical comedy, the popular comedy team Wheeler and Woolsey will complete their current contract with RKO Radio. They have already re-signed to make three more pictures to spread over the next eighteen months. Fewer and better pictures is their present aim. It is said that "COCKEYED CAVALIERS," which will be seen in Hong Kong very soon, is rated the best picture they have made up to the present time.

DRESS CRAZILY

The Paramount star, who has one of the biggest "fan" followings of any actress in Hollywood—Miriam Hopkins—has most original and amusing ideas about dress.

"Be gay," she says. "Be just as crazy in costume and coiffure as you choose so long as you are amusing!"

Miss Hopkins, who co-stars with Fredric March and George Raft in Paramount's ALL OF ME, seen at the Queen's Theatre lately has just selected a complete wardrobe which bears out her statement.

For beach wear, with her new bathing costumes, she has chosen a new "sombrero." This is a hat which swoops over the face in little "artistically" ragged at the most unconventional curves, is a brim, and is tied with a brilliant yellow cord round the chin.

Her favourite informal dinner suit from her new selection is a clinging white net, patterned with large white polka-dots. The bright note in the costume is a vivid green belt.

With this outfit she wears a wide-brimmed hat of very dark brown milan, with a shallow crown, relieved by a charming cluster of brown and white flowers—usually wallflowers and syringa.

Apart from this one costume, Miss Hopkins must have every evening frock in blue—especially navy blue. She adores it! One of her frocks is modelled on the new stream-line fashion in navy blue crepe. This is cut very low at the back.

Another favourite is a gorgeous gown with midnight-blue crystals glitterings brilliantly on midnight-blue organdie.

THE NEW PETER PAN.

Marlene Dietrich—of Paramount's THE SCARLET EMPRESS fame—has founded a new Hollywood fashion.

She was seen at a smart restaurant the other day wearing a simple sports dress consisting of a dark wool skirt and a printed knitted jumper . . . but surmounted by an almost microscopic white linen Peter Pan collar!

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A DARING CAPE.

Claudette Colbert, who has just completed brilliantly her little role in Paramount's CLEOPATRA, is a great sponsor of the very modern!

Her latest fancy is a brilliant orange velvet cape which reaches to the waist and buttons across the throat, with a distinct military flair.

A CHARMING KITCHEN FROCK.

Dorothea Wieck, who is featured with Baby LeRoy in Paramount's KIDNAPPED, is very proud of her new kitchen frocks, which combines charm utility.

It is fashioned in cool, white cotton, with an attractive tucked bodice, and carries a great, flaring, cape-like collar of blue and white eyelet-embroidered linen, with a wide white bow.

GOLD AND JADE.

One of the most interesting rings seen in Hollywood for some time was worn by Carole Lombard—who was seen lately in Paramount's BOLERO—at a party the other day.

It has a big, square jade stone with her initials traced across it in very thin gold wire. The idea, she explained, can be adapted to any jewellery such as bracelets, necklaces or earrings.

TO-DAY'S RADIO PROGRAMME

Broadcast by Z.B.W. on 355 Metres

1 to 2.15 p.m.—European programme.
1 p.m.—Local time and weather report.
1.03 p.m.—Recorded music.
1.15 p.m.—A relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Orchestra from the Hong Kong Hotel Grill Room (by courtesy of the management).
1.30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins, Rugby Press news, etc.
2.15 p.m.—Close down.
4 to 7 p.m.—Chinese programme.
6 to 6.15 p.m.—Children's Concert.
7 to 10.40 p.m.—European programme.
7 p.m.—London and New York Stock and Commodity quotations.
7.05 to 7.22 p.m.—

Band Selections From Light Operas

Tom Jones (German).—The Regimental Band of H. M. Grenadier Guards.
Geisha (Jones).—The Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards.
The Belle of New York (Kerker).—The Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards.

7.22 to 8 p.m.—

A Concert

Pianoforte Solo—Etude Tableau in A Minor, Op. 3 (Rachmaninoff).
Pianoforte Solo—Dance of the Gnomes (Liszt).—Sergei Rachmaninoff.
Song—Annie Laurie.
Song—Afton Water (Robert Burns).—Mary Garden (Soprano).
'Cello Solo—Humoreske (Dvorak—Op. 101, No. 7).
'Cello Solo—Melodie (Tschaikowsky, Op. 42, No. 3).—Gaspar Cassado.
Song—Now Sleeps the Crimson Petal (Quilter).
Song—A Fairy Story by the Fire (Merikanto).—John McCormack (Tenor).
Violin Solo—Liebesfraud (Love's Joy) (Kreisler).
Violin Solo—Liebesleid (Love's Sorrow) (Kreisler).—Fritz Kreisler.

8 p.m.—Local time and weather report.
8.03 to 8.15 p.m.—A Jazz Piano recital by Rale da Costa
1. Waltz Time—Medley
2. Dancing Butterfly.
3. Say It with Music—Medley.

8.15 to 8.28 p.m.—

Vocal Gems

Aida (Verdi).—Grand Opera Co
Il Trovatore (Verdi).—Grand Opera Co.

8.28 to 9 p.m.—

Orchestral Programme

Ave Maria (Meditation) (Bach—Gounod).
Ave Maria (Schubert).—Dol Dauber and His Salon Orchestra.
Gopak ("The Fair at Sorotchinsk") (Mossorgsky).
Cortege des Nobles ("Mlada") (Rimsky-Korsakov).—London Symphony Orchestra.
Ungarische Lustspiel—Overture (Keler-Bela).—Dr. Weibmann mit groben Symphonie—Orchestra.
Schwanda (The Bagpipe Player) (Weinberger).—Sir Hamilton Harty conducting the London Symphony Orchestra.

9 to 9.30 p.m.—

From the Studio

Selections by the "Music Makers."

9.30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins, London 1 p.m. Stock and Commodity quotations.

9.35 to 10.10 p.m.—

Variety

Song—Ev'ry Little While.
Song—Try Gettin' a Good Night's Sleep—Frances Maddux (Soprano).
Accordion Solo—Eel in the Sink—Irish Reel.
Accordion Solo—Mayo Hornpipe—Frank Murphy.
Vocal Duet—Now that I've Found You.—Jack Buchanan and Elsie Randolph.
Band—When the Band begins to play.
Band—Theres something about a soldier.—The Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards.
Song—Masquerading in the Name of Love.
Song—Over on the Sunny Side—Hugh Morton (Baritone).
Organ Solo—By a Waterfall.
Organ Solo—My Song goes round the World.—Frederic Bayco.

10.10 to 10.27 p.m.—

Concert Waltzes

Tales from the Vienna Woods (J. Strauss).—Bruno Walter and Symphony Orchestra.
Acclamations Waltz (Waldteufel).
The Grenadiers Waltz (Waldteufel).—The Regimental Band of H.M. Grenadier Guards.

10.27 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins, Rugby mid-day Press news, further London Stock and Commodity quotations followed by New York Opening quotations.

10.40 p.m.—Close down.

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Columbia Plans 48 Features

DETAILS ON 32 ARE ANNOUNCED

Titles of the 1934-35 programme as announced are:

BROADWAY BILL: a Frank Capra production, with Warner Baxter and Myrna Loy.

ANOTHER FRANK CAPRA production as yet untitled.

FEATHER IN HER HAT: by I.A.R. Wylie one of the current season's best sellers.

ONE NIGHT OF LOVE: with Grace Moore noted opera star.

An Edward G. Robinson production, to be produced by Howard Hawks as yet untitled.

PARTY WIRE: a best seller by Bruce Manning.

A Claudette Colbert production untitled.

MAID OF HONOUR: from the best seller and Cosmopolitan Magazine Story by Katharine Bush.

CARNIVAL: a dramatic romance by Robert Riskin.

THE GIRL FRIEND: a musical extravaganza by Herbert Fields, Richard Rodgers and Lorenz Hart.

ONE JACK HOLT-EDMUND LOWE production untitled.

LADY BEWARE, a comedy drama.

BLACK ROOM MYSTERY: a thriller staring Boris Karloff.

SURE FIRE: starring Gene Raymond and Ann Sothern.

MILLS OF THE GODS: a drama by Melville Baker and Jack Kirkland presenting a cross section of industrial America today.

DEPTHS BELOW: starring Jack Holt in a romantic melodrama.

TWO ADDITIONAL JACK HOLT productions.

BREAKFAST FOR TWO: a farce.

EIGHT BELLS: a drama of the sea.

ONCE A GENTLEMAN: from the story by Bradley King.

THAT'S GRATITUDE: from the stage comedy success by Frank Craven.

SPRING 3100, a melodrama.

MAN PROFF: Comedy drama.

MURDER ISLAND: a thriller from the pen of Leland Jamieson.

HOLLYWOOD IS GOING CHINESE.

MISTAKEN IDENTITY: drama.

WHITE LIES: romantic drama.

LADY OF NEW YORK: drama.

PRIVATE PROPERTY: drama

UNKNOWN WOMAN: drama thriller.

$25 AN HOUR: Gladys Unger and Leyla Georgi's romantic stage comedy.

I CONFESS: drama.

In addition to these listed there will be eight Tim McCoy outdoor action dramas and eight additional feature dramas.

HOLLYWOOD IS GOING CHINESE

Hollywood is going Chinese. For no reason at all, except perhaps that China happens to be an international "HOT SPOT" at the moment, fourteen Oriental pictures are now in production.

Included in current cycle of pictures with an Oriental background are.

METRO - GOLDWYN - MAYER: "The Painted Veil" "Indo-China," "China Seas." "Good Earth,"

WARNER BROS: "Farewell to Shanghai" "Oil for the Lamps of China," "War Lord," "Skipper of Ispahan."

PARAMOUNT: "Sacrifice."

RADIO: "Ho for Shanghai."

FOX: "Three Charlie Chan pictures.

Clyde Elliott will take a technical crew to China for an Oriental picture titled "Yellow Waters."

LOST PROPELLER

Steamer In Distress

A dramatic S.O.S. call was picked up by the Chinese freighter Hai Sang while nearing Foochow on a voyage from Shanghai to Hong Kong. The call was from the Chinese freighter Yu Shum, and the message stated that she had lost her propeller off the treacherous Alligator Rocks and was at the mercy of the weather.

The skipper of the Hai Sang immediately steamed to the assistance of the distressed vessel, and putting a line aboard, towed her to safety at the Matsu Island Anchorage, which is to the north of Foochow.

The steamer Hai Sang arrived in port on Monday.

NEW SECRETARIES OF Y.W.C.A.

Chinese Officials Entertained To Reception

Shanghai, Aug. 25.

Y.W.C.A. centres in Shanghai were visited yesterday by the new Chinese secretaries who have been appointed to take positions in various parts of China in September. They were entertained at the National Office and at the International Branch of the Y.W.C.A. in China to tea yesterday, the tea being preceded by a talk given by Miss Ruth Barr. Miss Barr graphically sketched the history of the Y.W.C.A. and its development and work in this country, her speech being translated by Miss Alice Yang, secretary of the Chinese Y.W.C.A.

Among those present at the gathering were: Mrs. Siu Seng Huang, Chairman of the National Committee; Miss Hu Chung Ying, general secretary of the Y.W.C.A. in Nanking; Miss Susan Teng student secretary at Peiping; Miss Chien Soo Ying of Hangchow; Miss Hu Pei Shou of Tsinan; Miss Sin Ah Shang of Nanking; Talita Gerlack, student secretary of the Shanghai National Office; Miss Ting, Miss Deng, and Miss Lily K. Haass, secretary of training. Miss Georgina Fuller, resident secretary, and Miss Yang, all of Shanghai.

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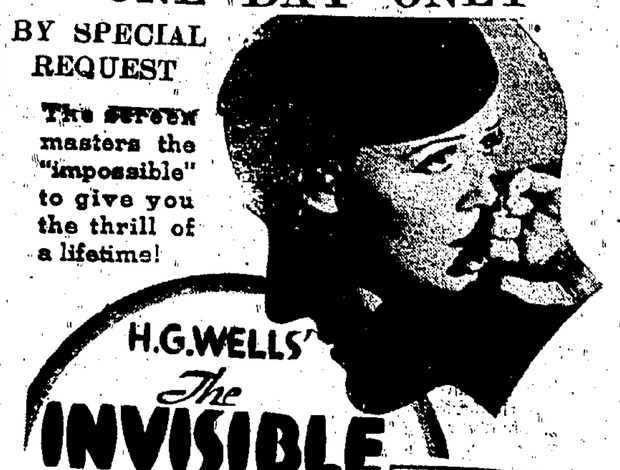

H.G. WELLS' The INVISIBLE MAN

A girl loved him—the world hated and feared him! See the most amazing picture of the year

With Gloria Stuart, Claude Rains, William Harrigan, Dudley Digges, Una O'Connor, Henry Travers, Forrester Harvey. Screenplay by R. C. Sherriff. Produced by Carl Laemmle, Jr. Directed by James Whale.

TO-MORROW

EDMUND LOWE VICTOR McLAGLEN in "NO MORE WOMEN"

with Sally Blane Minna Gombell

Directed by Albert Rogell

A Paramount Picture

"OPERATOR 13"

Opening To-day At The Queen's

As a complete contrast to her earlier light-hearted screen roles Marion Davies contributes her finest dramatic performance in her new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer-Cosmopolitan picture "Operator 13" which opens to-day at the Queen's Theatre.

The picture is based upon the last best-seller novel from the versatile pen of the late Robert W. Chambers who, his intimate friends declare, had Miss Davies in mind as his heroine for a screen version of the story.

Different from other motion pictures with wartime backgrounds, "Operator 13" deals with the most romantic and thrilling phase of the Civil War—the spies.

Seen As Gale Loveless

Miss Davies plays the role of Gale Loveless a northern actress whom the famed Allan Pinkerton, General McClelland's chief of secret service, send into the Southern lines to track down Captain Jack Gailliard, scout on the staff of General J. E. Stuart.

The picture is replete with authentic episodes and in the cast appear characters whose names are famous in Civil War history.

Pauline Cushman, a famous Federal spy in the rebellion, is portrayed by Katharine Alexander, well-known New York stage star recently recruited from Broadway for motion pictures.

General "Jeb" Stuart, the firebrand of the South, is characterized by Douglas Dumbrille. Other well-known players in the supporting cast are Ted Healy and Russell Hardie, Federal spies masquerading as itinerant medicine show men.

"NO MORE WOMEN"

Lowe And McLaglen Again

The thrills and perils of motion picture making often do not appear on the screen, as eleven members of the company which made "No More Women," the Paramount picture, coming on Thursday to the King's Theatre, can testify.

For two-and-one-half hours these eleven fought a battle with death when the tug which was towing the barge on which they were stationed, was cut loose in a sudden storm off Caralina Island.

Among the eleven were Cameraman Theodor Sparkuhl and Arthur McLaglen, brother of Victor McLaglen who is co-starred with Edmund Lowe in the picture. The barge was being towed back to the Caralina base when the storm struck. Almost instantly all the equipment was swept overboard.

Fortunately, a heavy hammer and a keg of spikes remained. These spikes were driven into the flat deck of the barge, and to these the eleven clung.

The storm swept the tug away after the lines parted, and only the fortunate arrival of a revenue cutter saved the men from death. After more than an hour, the cutter managed to get a line to the barge and then towed it to Caralina.

With the bottom of the sea as the locale, this picture presents those ancient rivals, McLaglen and Lowe, as deep-sea divers. Lowe's wits manage to offset McLaglen's fists until the girl, Sally Blane, appears and the feud becomes serious.

In a fight between them, McLaglen, is supposedly killed and Lowe is arrested. McLaglen, really not dead, hides out, hoping Lowe will be hanged, but he finally has to show up again and both men start out on a big salvage job. Another tug cuts in, and there is a four-cornered battle on the ocean bottom from which McLaglen and Lowe return. Then the on-shore rivalry for the girl is resumed.

V.C. RETIRING

Col. Forbes-Robertson

London, Aug. 15.

It is announced in the "London Gazette" that Col. J. Forbes-Robertson, V.C., D.S.O., M.C., relinquishes the appointment of Commander, 152nd (Seaforth and Cameron) Infantry Brigade (Territorial Army) and retires on retired pay.

Col. Forbes-Robertson, who entered the Border Regiment thirty years ago, served with great distinction in the Great War, in which he won the M.C., D.S.O. (with bar), and the V.C.

It was while commanding the 1st Battalion, the Border Regiment, that his gallantry earned for him the Victoria Cross.

Col. Forbes-Robertson had held many battalion commands, including that of the 2nd Battalion, Gordon Highlanders (1928-30).

"THE INVISIBLE MAN"

Back Again For One Day Only

"To be or not to be: that is the question!" And technical experts, cameramen, and electricians at Universal City wagged their heads for two long years!

The reason was the perplexing production problems which Universal faced, and finally solved, in transferring H. G. Wells' fantastic story, "The Invisible Man" now at the King's Theatre, to the screen.

In directing Boris Karloff in the memorable "Frankenstein," Director James Whale chose to keep the terrifying Monster silent throughout the picture. But in directing "The Invisible Man," Whale was forced to reverse the rule that weird screen characters should be seen and not heard, and make his audience feel the presence of a menacing creature without seeing him.

How could a man actively participating in a well lighted photographic scene be made invisible? How could he become a menace, a dramatic figure, when he was not visible to either the actors in the scene with him or the audience?

Photograph invisibility

Studio experts, cameramen and electricians were outspoken in their protests. After all, there were some things outside the pale of possibility even in a picture studio.

Nevertheless it had to be done. There was the story, marking time in the vaults. It had been bought and paid for. And the price was a pretty penny.

So for two whole years Universal studio technicians knit their brows and drove their ingenuity to the breaking point. But the total results were nothing to speak about.

"Show the presence of The Invisible Man by spirit wires moving books, chairs and what not. Show him by suspending a coat, trousers, or hat on wire," were the most persistent offerings. But that was too obvious. It might have been done a few years ago, but to-day never!

However, studio ingenuity would not go down to defeat. The problem was finally solved. The picture was made.

How? There are studio secrets that are never told. They are, perhaps, guarded as stock in trade. This much, however, is known.

Director Whale, Cameraman Charles Edeson, and Jack Pierce, Universal make-up expert discovered, after months of ceaseless experiment and the employment of the well-known trial and error system, the tremendous possibilities offered with the use of small mirrors arranged in much the same manner as magicians employ in creating optical illusions. Perhaps an idea was borrowed from Mr. Thurston or the late Harry Houdini. At any rate the idea worked, and the "invisible man" stalks through the picture, a moving force, without form or feature. With this complicated process it was even made possible for Claude Rains, who plays the title role, to be seen as he fades from his real self into the shadow that is the man, invisible. He is seen disrobing, and his clothes fall from his form. Nothing but invisibility remains.

"This much you can say," says Director Whale with a twinkle in his eye, "The Invisible Man is not wrapped in cellophane!"

TO-DAY AT THE CINEMA

HONG KONG

KING'S:—
"The Invisible Man"
QUEEN'S:—
"Operator 13"
CENTRAL:—
"The Deeds Men Do"
ORIENTAL:—
"Up To The Neck"

KOWLOON

ALHAMBRA:—
"You Said A Mouthful"
MAJESTIC:—
"Fanny Foley Herself"
STAR:—
"One Way Passage"

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THE ALHAMBRA

"The Only Girl"

Lilian Harvey, the gay, winsome and provocative English star, is stated to have an ideal role in "The Only Girl," colourful musical romance which is to have its premiere at the Alhambra Theatre to-morrow. Playing opposite her in this film is one of the leading French actors, Charles Boyer, who played leads in the French version of "The Big House" and "The Trial of Mary Dugan."

"The Only Girl" is a British Gaumont-Ufa production, directed by Eric Pommer, and has been staged on the opulent and grandiose lines that have characterized similar pictures made by this organization "Congress Dances" and "Her Highness Commands" for example. Among notable settings are some charming reproductions of the court of the Empress Eugenie, around whom the story is largely woven.

The music for the film was composed by Franz Wachamann and, is based on contemporary motifs, Lillian Harvey sings a haunting Waltz-song, "How Can I Live Without You," which all Europe is humming.

"The Only Girl" promises to be stimulating entertainment for jaded tastes seeking something new and different.

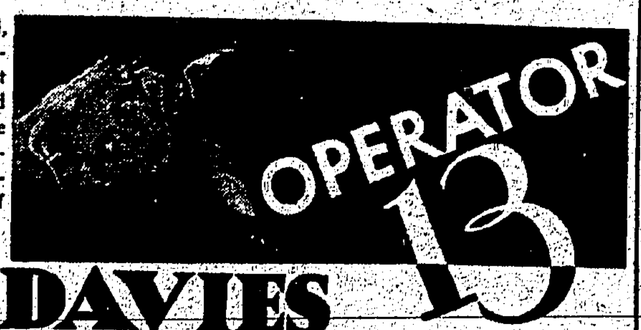
With the exception of Gloria Stuart, who has the feminine lead, the cast of "The Invisible Man" is all-English. Dudley Diggers, Henry Travers, Una O'Connor, William Harrigan and Merle Tottenham all of them hail from the British Isles.

TO-DAY TO SATURDAY

QUEEN'S

AT 2.30, 5.10, 7.20 & 9.30.

A girl-spy, beautiful, dangerous . . . but a prisoner of love! Robert W. Chambers' grand romance, brought to the screen with the spectacle of "Birth of a Nation," the heart-beat of "Smilin' Through!"



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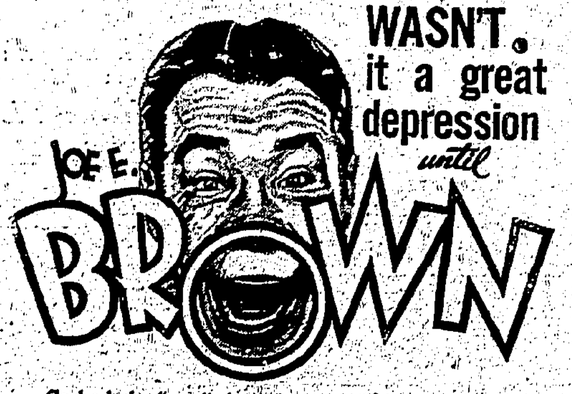

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TO-MORROW

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"THE ONLY GIRL"

STAR

TO-DAY & TO-MORROW

A Warner Bros. Picture

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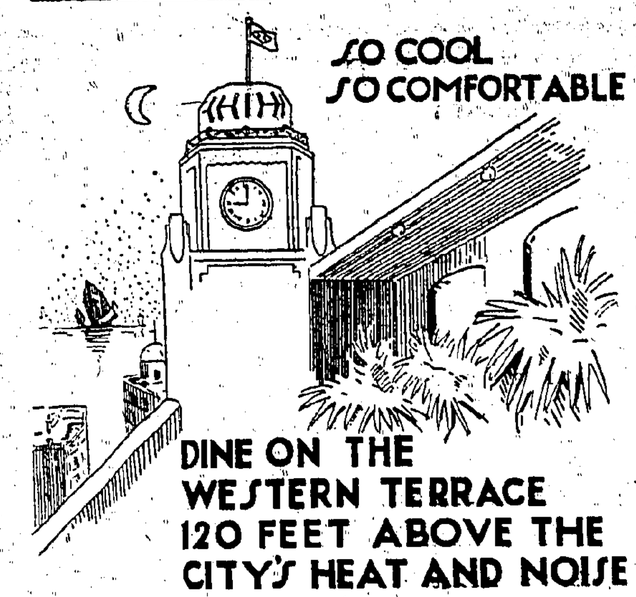

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58—Hotels of Hong Kong and Macao

As our readers know we eschew and abhor puffing. The following is a "bona fide" verbatim extract of a note we received yesterday from a friend. We give it as we got it, adding that from what we saw ourselves, we can conscientiously endorse every word of it.

At this season of the year the intelligence may be welcomed by some of our readers.

"I am an invalid and leave for California next week to run away from your Hong Kong summer, and fearing that I may not have the pleasure of seeing you previous to my departure, I write you this note. I think you would be conferring a great benefit on many of your readers, did you inform them through the columns of the "Daily Press" of the fact, that there being a most excellent hotel (Royal Hotel) at Macao. This is the best hotel I have been at since leaving France, and is cleaner and in better order than four fifths of those even there. The most fastidious could not find cause to complain—everything clean, a most excellent table, good servants, and a most deserving man for proprietor, Mr. Bradstreet, who formerly kept the Commercial here. The location is on the Praya and there are four houses thrown into one.

Three weeks ago I was taken sick and of course the first thought was to get a change of air, but where to go was the question—of course being an invalid I would not for a moment accept the hospitality of any of my friends, and thinking the hotels were the same as in former times at Macao, why I say no other means left than to keep quiet at home, and growl the thing through. By the merest accident I heard from a French Lieutenant, of the excellence of this new house just started at Macao, and I immediately left with my wife. The result of my own personal observation I have written above.

There must or there may continually be, persons situated just as I was, and as I said before I think did you mention the above facts relating to the Hotel to your numerous readers, you would be conferring upon many of them a great benefit.

Around the Courts

CLAIM AND COUNTER-CLAIMS

Claims and counter-claims were mentioned in a case which came before Mr. Justice Jacks yesterday. The dispute is over a building contract and the plaintiff is Lo Mui of 44 Mongkok Road, who claimed $616.60 due on work done and materials supplied on Rural Building Lot No. 339. The defendants were Messrs. Blackmore & Blackburn Ltd., of Alexander Building, who counter-claimed $722.05 for alleged faulty and incomplete work.

Mr. M. A. da Silva of D'Almada Remedios & Silva, appearing for defendants, said he understood Messrs. D'Almada & Mrson had ceased to act for plaintiff who was now appearing in person.

The counter-claim set out that Lo Mui agreed to do certain work for $1,500 according to the plans and specifications of the architects, Messrs. Denison, Ram & Gibbs, subject to the condition that alterations, additions, or omissions should be valued, and added or deducted from the original price.

Plaintiff, it was alleged, was claiming under extras for work which was included under the contract price. Furthermore he had not completed the work which defendants had had to have done themselves with a loss of time for which they had been penalised in the sum of $500. Whilst admitting extras amounting to $119.10 defendants pointed out that in his accounts, plaintiff had omitted to credit them with work he had failed to do as under contract. Plaintiff had been paid $1,500.

Mr. Silva said the defence was that part of plaintiff's work was bad and had to be done again.

Lo Mui gave evidence after which the hearing was adjourned.

The case against Cheng Kam Tung, 36, Ip Fuk 42, bird dealer, Yuen Kwai Sang 34, a married woman, and Hui Muk Kan, 20, for the possession of 506 counterfeit Dutch guilders and with conspiracy to utter was concluded before Mr. MacFadyen at Central Magistracy yesterday.

Cheng Kam Tung was fined $55 of three month's hard labour while the other three defendants were discharged on the ground of insufficient evidence.

It was stated all defendants lived at No. 39, Battery Street, Kowloon. Second defendant was the principal tenant of the floor. In a box containing clothing which first and fourth defendant claimed as theirs, was found a coin similar to the guilders in their possession. Fourth defendant produced the key to the box.

TRAFFIC SIGNS

"You have got to know these things if you drive," said Mr. E. W. Hamilton yesterday to Sanitary Inspector D. C. Sullivan who appeared before him for driving along Conduit Road from May Road to Robinson Road, the thoroughfare being closed to traffic. The defendant claimed that the traffic sign was not very clear.

UNMUZZLED DOGS

At Kowloon Magistracy yesterday, Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones fined Mr. T. H. Smith of No. 2 Dorset Crescent, Kowloon Tong, $25 for allowing his dog out in the street without a muzzle.

A similar fine was imposed on A. Delcourt, of No. 247, Prince Edward Road, for a like offence. Mrs. Delcourt stated that the dog was in the garden all the time and was never out in the street. An Indian constable however testified that he saw the dog out in Prince Edward Road without a muzzle. Sub-Inspector E. G. Post said he had measured the wall surrounding Mr. Delcourt's garden, and found that the dog could not get over the wall from inside if the gate was shut but it could get in from the street.

RUSSIANS WITHOUT PAPERS

Charged with entering the Colony without passports, two Russian youths, M.A. Chashin, 24 and L.F. Martynluk, 21, pleaded guilty, and added that they were compelled by circumstances to come to Hong Kong.

Sergeant Russell said they arrived here on Sunday from Canton. They held Chinese certificates of registration issued in Shanghai, but without British visas. Both went to the Russian Contingent office and applied for jobs in the anti-piracy guard.

Sergt. Russell: They stated that they did not have sufficient money to apply for the visa and had just enough to come down by train. I am applying for expulsion orders to Canton. Mr. Scott, A. D. C. I. suggests a small fine in lieu of sentence.

The magistrate imposed on each a fine of $25 or in default three weeks' imprisonment, to be followed by an expulsion order.

SPEEDING LORRY DRIVER

A lorry driver who was charged with speeding in Queen's Road and who was alleged to have driven at thirty miles an hour appeared before Mr. E.W. Hamilton yesterday.

Defendant pleaded that he was only driving at 12 m.p.h. but Traffic Sergt. Sargent stated that the defendant was travelling at 30 m.p.h.

His Worship observed that driving at 30 miles an hour in Queen's Road was little short of courting murder. He informed the defendant that he would recommend to the I.G.P. the cancellation of his license. The case was adjourned for a week.

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In another case Mr. T. G. Paterson of No. 18 Conduit Road was fined $5 for failing to renew his driving license.

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Miss S. K. Wong was fined $10 for driving car No. 395 in Lockhart Road, which was not specified in her learner's licence.

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Charles E. A. Sassella was fined $10 by Mr. W. M. Thomson in the Central Police Court yesterday, for a breach of the Registration Ordinance. Inspector W. H. Nolloth stated that defendant arrived on August 20 by the President Taft and went to the Gloucester Hotel. He was not pressing the case but would ask for a nominal fine. Defendant thought the office would be closed on Saturday. His intentions were good apparently.

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A cripple, Lee Loi, aged 20, was arrested together with a one-legged man, Lee Pang, 28, for begging in Wing Wo Street outside the entrance of the Sun Company on Monday. Charged before Mr. Macfadyen in Central Police Court yesterday Sub-Inspector Russell stated that Lee Loi had $15.94 and $4 in Chinese money in his possession. He has also put on his best clothes to come to Court, your Worship," he added. "He was ragged when arrested." Lee Pang had only sixty cents when arrested. The Magistrate ordered the detention of Lee Pang until the rising of the Court, following which he is to be sent back to Kongmoon.

Lee Loi was fined $5, and his Worship advised him to return to Canton.

THE NETHERSOLE HOSPITAL

Two Generous Donations

The fund which is being raised to rebuild the Nethersole Hospital block of the Alice Memorial and Affiliated Hospitals has recently received the promise of two very liberal donations. The Hon. Mr. T. N. Chau has promised $10,000 in memory of his father, the late Mr. Chau Siu Ki, who during his life-time took a keen interest in the Hospitals and annually raised large sums for their support (a work which is being ably carried on by Mr. T. N. Chau).

Mr. Ma Ying Piu has been a staunch supporter and generous contributor to the Hospitals for many years; he, also, has promised $10,000 to the Rebuilding Fund.

Other recent donations include

Mr. Fung Kong Un	$500
Anon.	250
Mr. Chiu On Kat	100
Anon.	100
Miss Fung Pui Ying	100
Miss Fung Pui Fong	100
Mr. Hing Cheung Ho	30

The cost of a new building is estimated at $190,000. The sum of $68,434.58 had already been received for this purpose, so that a further $100,000 is still required.

The old Nethersole Hospital has already been demolished, as the roof had become dangerous beyond repair. A new building is urgently needed to enable the work of the Hospitals to be adequately carried on.

Donations, large or small, will be gratefully received by:—

The Hon. Treasurers, Messrs. Linstead & Davis, Gloucester Building; or The Medical Superintendent, Dr. R. M. Gibson, Alice Memorial & Affiliated Hospitals, Bonham Road.

MR. LOUIS BEALE

Passing Through Colony To-Day

Mr. Louis Beale, C.B.E., Commercial Counsellor to H.B.M. Legation in China, who is passing through Hong Kong on the s.s. Antenor is proceeding to England on an official visit.

It is proposed that he should make a tour of the leading Industrial centres with a view to stimulating interest in the export trade from the United Kingdom to China.

Mr. Beale is accompanied by Mrs. Beale.

MATSHEDS BURNED

Fire At New G.C.H. Site

A fire destroyed a number of matsheds at Pokfulam on the site where work is in progress for the construction of a new Government Civil Hospital. The outbreak occurred in the early hours of yesterday morning and the fire got a grip of several matsheds before the appliances arrived on the scene.

Five Chinese who were trapped in one of the matsheds were injured and were sent to the Government Civil Hospital for attention. Their injuries, however, were not serious.

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SERIOUS ALLEGATIONS AGAINST DOCTOR

Inquiry Into Death Of Woman

Allegations against the professional conduct of a local medical practitioner were made at the resumed hearing of the Coroner's inquiry at Central Magistracy yesterday into the death of a Chinese woman named Chan Tai Hei, aged 23, who was found in her house at No. 1 Tai Yuen Street, third floor, on the morning of July 14 suffering from narcotic poisoning from which she subsequently died at the Government Civil Hospital.

Mr. E. W. Hamilton sat as Coroner, assisted by a jury comprised of Mr. D. O. da Silva (foreman), Mr. G. H. White and Mr. V. Petherick.

Au Shiu Ting, a fellow tenant of the deceased, said that on the morning in question at about 5 a.m. he was awakened by deceased's husband, police constable C192, who told him that his wife had taken some opium. He went into the cubicle and found deceased lying on the bed.

On the instructions of deceased's husband, he went to call Dr. Li Ping Sham. That was at about 5.10. He returned with the doctor about 15 minutes later. Deceased's husband was not present. Deceased, who was still conscious, was sitting on a chair.

The first thing the doctor did, he alleged, was to demand $75 for treating the deceased. Witness, his wife and the amah told the doctor that they had only $5. Five minutes later the doctor reduced his fee to $50.

Continuing, witness said: We still said we had not got enough money and begged him to treat her first. He said 'that won't do. I must have that amount.' He then asked if I could find anyone to guarantee payment. We went on begging him to help the patient. Later he reduced his fee to $25. We still maintained we have not got enough money. He said he would not accept less than $25. Seeing that the patient's condition was getting worse—the deceased began to slide in the chair—the doctor gave her an injection. Deceased appeared to be unconscious when he gave the injection. After this had been done, we gave him $5.

In reply to the Coroner, witness said that the time between the doctor's arrival and the time he treated deceased was about half an hour. After the injection, the doctor went away saying that he was going to the police station and get an ambulance. The ambulance arrived at about 7.05 a.m.

The reason why he did not tell the police the first time was that he was not asked.

Nothing Could Be Done

Leung Ng, the amah employed by the deceased, then gave corroborative evidence. She added that her mistress was not in the habit of smoking opium. The doctor said, she alleged, that nothing could be done for $5.

Sergeant Murphy said that at 6.40 a.m. on the morning in question he was on duty at No. 2 Police Station when Dr. Li came in and reported that a woman had taken opium at No. 1 Tai Yuen Street.

In reply to the Coroner, witness said that Dr. Li seemed to be anxious to have the woman taken to the hospital as quickly as possible.

Doctor's Evidence

Dr. Li Ping Sham was then called. The Coroner informed him of the allegations and enquired if he would like to give evidence. He replied in the affirmative and the Coroner then cautioned him, saying that it was not necessary for him to answer any question which he thought would implicate him.

Dr. Li said that at about six o'clock he went on foot with the witness Au to No. 1 Tai Yuen Street, third floor. He saw a woman sitting on a chair with pink froth coming out from the nose and mouth. The symptoms appeared to him to be opium poisoning but he would not swear that it was. After feeling her pulse the first thing he did was to ask for some hot water and gave the patient an injection of enthrophine sulphide immediately.

He felt her pulse again but there was not much improvement but the froth stopped. He asked the amah who was the responsible person in the house, the reason being that the woman was in a serious condition. He suggested to the people in the house that if they liked he could wash out the stomach, at the same time pointing out that it seemed to be useless. He explained this to them and then bargained for the fee. He asked them who would pay for it. He asked for about $30.

"In my fourteen years' practice, I had never asked so much as $75. The largest amount I ever asked was $50," witness declared.

Continuing, Dr. Li said that after he had left he went straight to the police station in his car. On being informed by the Coroner that, according to the police, he arrived at the station at 6.40, Dr. Li said that it might have been that he reached the house at quarter past six.

Did Not Bargain

He gave the patient one injection without taking any money because deceased was in a serious condition. Deceased was unconscious some time before his arrival. He denied that he bargained for the fee before giving her the injection.

In reply to the Jury as to how he got his car to go to the police station as he went on foot to the house, Dr. Li explained that he telephoned to his office asking for a stomach tube and this was brought to him in his car. He explained to the people in the house that there was very little chance for the patient surviving by washing out the stomach, but if they would like to pay for it he would do so.

The enquiry was then adjourned till this afternoon, the Coroner informing the Jury that he would like to consult the senior medical practitioner.

NAVY DAY

To Be Held In January

Hong Kong Navy Day will be held either on January 19 or 26.

It was originally intended to hold the displays on October 21 (Trafalgar Day) as was done last year but in order not to clash with the Military Tattoo which is billed to take place on November 1, 2 and 3 the Naval celebrations have been postponed until the beginning of next year.

No details of the programme are yet available but it is believed that the day will be run on the same lines as last year.

Government And The Leper Problem

STRONG CRITICISMS BY MEMBERS OF THE SANITARY BOARD

Segregation, Treatment And Cure Of Lepers

That in the interests of public health, and on humane grounds, the whole problem of lepers in the Colony should be reviewed by the Government with a view to providing facilities for the segregation, treatment and cure of lepers, was the subject of considerable discussion at the fortnightly meeting of the Sanitary Board yesterday when Mr. M. K. Lo, pursuant to notice, put forward the above motion.

With the exception of Mr. L. C. F. Bellamy, all the unofficial members—Mr. Wong Kwong Tin, Dr. Li Shu Fan and Dr. R. A. de Castro—spoke in favour of the motion which was carried.

In his speech, Mr. M. K. Lo remarked that the Government had taken no steps to enforce the provisions of the Lepers' Ordinance, No. 24 of 1910 in the matter of providing leper asylums. Dr. Li Shu Fan said that the question of expense should not be a serious obstacle, while Dr. Basto made several recommendations among which were to make leprosy a notifiable disease and the establishment of a leprosarium.

Leprosy Should Be Made A Notifiable Disease

In putting forward his motion, Mr. M. K. Lo said:

In July 1930, I drew attention of this Board to the problem of lepers in the Colony by asking some questions on the subject.

I make no apology for again bringing this matter before this Board, for I consider that the problem of lepers is a growing menace to the residents of this Colony.

I had a recollection that this matter formed the subject of a series of questions by the Hon. Sir William Shenton in the Legislative Council, a few years ago, and thanks to Sir William's courtesy, I have traced the questions and answers published in the Hong Kong Hansard Reports for 1931, at pp. 91, 92, 103 and 104. I do not wish to take up the time of this Board by quoting verbatim the questions and answers, for any one interested can refer to Hansard, but I must say that in my humble view, the answers were not at all satisfactory.

No Steps Taken

Admittedly, the Government has no definite information as to the number of lepers in the Colony; Admittedly, the Government has taken no steps to enforce the provisions of the Lepers' Ordinance, No. 24 of 1910, in the matter of providing leper asylums or of making regulations under section 13. But I would like to read to you Sir William's question No. 4 and the answer thereto, and his supplementary question and the reply in regard thereto:

Q. Does the Government pay for or otherwise arrange for the maintenance in leper asylums of such lepers as may be transported out of the Colony?

A. Not as a rule. Payment has been made in the case of one Hong Kong Government employee. A grant of $5,000 to the Sheklung Leper Asylum was included in the Estimates for 1931 but payment has not been made owing to retrenchment. It is felt that no actual liability rests on this Colony for non-British lepers.

Q. Arising out of the last sentence of the answer to question No. 4:—

Is it felt that any "actual liability" rests on the Colony for British Chinese lepers (i.e., their maintenance in leper asylums), and, if so, in what way is that liability discharged.

A. The answer is in the affirmative. Should such cases occur it is considered that the liability would be discharged if arrangements were made for the maintenance of the patient in a suitable leper asylum outside the Colony.

According to my information, on account of the large number of lepers found in this Colony this year, and of the difficulty of getting rid of them by sending them out of the Colony, some have been sent into the infectious Hospital, by way of a temporary measure, and as far as I know, there are no recognised hospitals or other facilities for the treatment of this disease.

From what I understand, no effective means exists for preventing the return of lepers sent away from the Colony, and many of those sent away are virtually condemned to lingering deaths because it is so difficult, if not impossible for them to get into an institution where they can be cured.

A Sad Case

Recently, a particularly sad case was brought to my notice by a well-known British medical practitioner. A young Chinese servant girl, who had been in the Colony for many years, saw this doctor on what she thought was a troublesome rash on her neck. She had been in the service of well-known families as a baby amah. On a thorough examination, the doctor found that she was suffering from this dread disease and told her so. She was frantic and heatedly denied she had lost her virginity, being under the prevalent impression which exists among the ignorant Chinese mass that this disease could only be contracted through sexual intercourse. The doctor was very keen to treat her, as he was convinced that she could be cured, but as there was no known place in which she could be effectively segregated, he could not do anything in this respect. After a great deal of trouble, he managed to arrange for her to be sent to one of the well-known settlements in which treatment was given, but no doubt succumbing to a natural fear regarding her future, she did not turn up and the doctor lost all trace of her Presumably she is at large.

You may remember, that some months ago, it was reported in the newspapers that a young man, on being arrested for soliciting in the streets, was found to be a leper. In the absence of authentic information, one cannot be dogmatic as to the number of lepers in the Colony, but, according to my information, there can be little doubt that the number is on the increase. No one can blame them for trying to prevent their disease from being discovered, in view of the consequence of such discovery.

I am aware of the stock argument against the provision of any asylum for lepers in the Colony. It is suggested that all the lepers from Kwangtung would flock to it. But is this really a valid argument for not providing reasonable facilities in the Colony for the segregation, treatment and cure of lepers, especially as regards those who have been resident in the Colony for a substantial period?

According to the answers to Sir William's questions one in-patient in 1930 claimed Hongkong birth, but he was unable to substantiate his claim so he was treated as a Chinese subject and presumably sent away. In any case, the Governments position is that, in regard to British Chinese lepers, the Government considers that its liability would be discharged if arrangements were made for the maintenance of the patient in a suitable leper asylum outside the Colony.

I believe I am right in saying that great advance in recent years has been made in Medical Science in the treatment and cure of lepers and I consider it a terrible cruelty to deny them such treatment.

It seems to me that from the point of view of infection, and also on humanitarian grounds, the present attitude of indifference should give place to one of active aid.

I therefore respectfully submit, that the whole problem should be reviewed and that facilities be provided for the treatment and cure of residents in the Colony, using the word "residents" in its ordinary meaning, and with safeguards to prevent the abuse of such facilities by persons who have no claim to such facilities i.e., not being residents.

MR. WONG KWONG TIN

Supporting Mr. Lo, Mr. Wong Kwong Tin said:

In seconding the motion I must say that what Mr. Lo has said, warrants the sympathy of the members of this Board. I remember that when I was a Visiting Justice of the Hospitals some years ago, I came across a leper patient in the Tung Wah Hopital and I, there and then, drew the attention of the Directors to the improper housing of lepers with other patients. Ever since, lepers have been sent to the Tung Wah Infections Hospital. We do not want to see lepers coming to our door steps begging for food and clothing, but as they cannot get work and have nothing to eat and wear they are forced to beg. It is therefore, necessary that some provision should be made for them. We cannot allow them to starve.

It is my earnest desire that the Government should direct members of the medical staff in their spare time to discover means of combating this horrible disease, in addition to providing facilities for the segregation of lepers. This suggestion, I am well aware, depends on the question of their maintenance.

DR. BASTO

Speaking in support of the motion, Dr. R. A. de Castro Basto said: I am very glad Mr. Lo has brought up this question of leprosy before the Board and it is no doubt one of the problems that has been long crying for attention. It is a fact that only a part of the great problem of the treatment and care of diseases and suffering is found within the working classes of the population. The motion urges the tackling of this question "in the interest of public health and on humane grounds," and it is on the latter aspect of the question that I wish to take this opportunity to say a few words. As honorary Ophthalmic Surgeon to the Kwong Wah Hospital I have occasion to come into contact week in and eek out with a most miserable and wretched section of our suffering population, and each time I come away with the thought that given the wealth and prosperity of this colony, it is inconceivable that so little is done to relieve the suffering of the poor. When one considers that for want of accommodation and of the necessary funds, some hospitals are obliged to put two very ill persons on one plank of wood called a "bed" in a ward already more than full; when one considers that not a day passes without some unfortunate coolie loosing an eye, an arm, or a leg or even his life while working for some wealthy and prosperous concern, and when we think that neither he nor his family has any compensation, then I think that it is time that something should be done in some other direction for his benefit or at least to fulfill in part our sense of moral responsibility.

The argument that to treat lepers in Hong Kong would be equivalent to treating the lepers of the whole of the neighbouring province does not hold water in that if we find it good enough to utilise of the labour which comes from outside we must also not hesitate either to give these labourers their due.

Recommendations

It must be admitted that the question is difficult of solution but that is no reason for leaving it out altogether, and as an initial step towards this direction I would recommend the following:

1. Make leprosy a notifiable disease. The disease would then come under control of the proper authorities and statistics could be collected with regard to its incidence in the Colony.
2. In order to encourage practioners in the diagnosis of the disease, bacteriological examination for leprosy should be made free of charge.
3. Establish a leprosarium. This could be used as a centre for treatment and investigation of the disease and also for segregating the infectious cases. A leprosy asylum need not be too large for it could be reserved only for housing the so-called "open" cases only i.e. cases which because of their open sores are liable to communicate the disease to others. The cases of "closed" leprosy, i.e. those without sores and therefore non-infectious cases could be treated as out-patients.
4. If it were not possible to build a leprosarium then the next best thing would be to establish a "leprosy clinic" in conjunction with any of the government hospitals. It would serve as an initial step in any way.

DR. LI SHU-FAN

Dr. Li Shu-Fan said: I should like to make a few remarks on the subject of segregation.

In the first place, according to the light of present day experience, the practice of indiscriminate and wholesale segregation of lepers is now considered to be out of date. The main reason is, that it defeats its own object by inducing the concealment of cases, which may continue to spread the infection to others.

It is now definitely proved that most, if not all of the early cases are non-infective and also the fact that most of the early cases are curable. There must be therefore no discouragement to their application for early treatment. Hence it is inhumane to subject them to mere segregation which would deprive them the chance of a cure.

The relevant question is, is it the routine practice of the Government to dispatch cases of leprosy across the borders as soon as they are diagnosed? If it is, then I think the practice is untenable and requires revision. Unless we are satisfied that they are treated humanely and scientifically as is being done elsewhere such as in India and the Phillipines we are not doing our duty.

The question of expense should not be a serious obstacle because it was found in India that it is possible to treat a large number of cases at the expense of only a few shillings per head per annum.

I think it is high time that we should shoulder the responsibility and to face the situation squarely.

I wish therefore to subscribe myself to the motion.

THE MOTION

Mr. M. K. Lo, pursuant to notice, moved:—

"That this Board is of the opinion that, in the interests of public health, and on humane grounds, the whole problem of lepers in the Colony should be reviewed by the Government with a view to providing facilities for the segregation, treatment and cure of lepers, and with any necessary safeguards for preventing such facilities being abused by those who are not resident of the Colony".

The motion was then put to the vote and was carried, all the unofficial members voting in favour.

Mr. M. K. Lo also asked: "With reference to my previous questions, and to the Head of the Sanitary Department's answers thereto, will the Head of the Sanitary Department be kind enough to ascertain, and inform this Board, whether the Malariologist has now completed his survey and whether his report will be available for the information of the members of this Board?".

The president of the Board, Mr. R. A. D. Forrest replied: Surveys are still in progress. A full report for the year 1933 will be found in the Annual Medical and Sanitary Report which is now in the hands of the printer.

Those present at the meeting were: Mr. R. A. D. Forrest (president), Hon. Mr. R. M. Henderson (Vice-Chairman), Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith (Secretary for Chinese Affairs), Dr. J. M. Gray (Medical Officer of Health), Mr. Wong Kwong Tin, Mr. M. K. Lo, Dr. Li Shu Fan, Dr. R. A. de Castro Basto, Mr. L. C. F. Bellamy, Mr. C. J. Roe (secretary) and Mr. Im Ping tsoung (assist secretary).

THE SCIENCE OF RADIATION

INTERESTING TALK BY REV. FATHER BYRNE TO ROTARIANS

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Members of the Rotary Club and their friends had the privilege yesterday of hearing a most instructive address by Rev. Father G. Byrne, M.A., S.J., who spoke upon the subject of "Radiesthesie."

The address was rendered in non-technical language and according to Father Byrne, the science was only in its infancy, but already great possibilities lay ahead.

So interested was the audience in what the speaker had to say, that a good number stayed behind after the lunch to see the science practically demonstrated by Fr. Byrne. In the course of the demonstration it was shown that several of the subjects suffered from various bodily complaints, all of which proved to be correct.

Mr. M. K. Lo presided at the meeting, and the attendance was the largest the Club has had for a long time.

In the course of his address, Fr. Byrne said:—

A few weeks ago there was mention in the "Press" of a Darwin Memorial Expedition to be organised by American scientists. The list of sciences to be enriched was imposing in number as in nomenclature. When asked to address you I scanned it for a suitable subject, sadly indeed because of my ignorance What for instance could I say about myrmecology except that I have been unscientific enough to use antrol to destroy the little beggars! "Oathology"—if it means, (I am sure it does not), what an old schoolmaster of mine would have said it should mean, the science of oaths, might be suitable enough or a clergyman, but indiscreet amongst Rotarians. The indiscreet science I have ventured to select is a baby science which claims privilege of peeping into you pockets and into your hearts.

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BIRTH.

ANDREW.—On August 24, 1934, Shanghai, to Inspector and Mrs. R. C. Andrew, a son.

MARRIAGE.

THEOBALD—DOYLE.—On August 23, 1934, at Holy Trinity Cathedral, Shanghai, by the Rev. A. C. S. Trivett, M.A., D.D., Ruth Geraldine, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Doyle, of Melbourne, to Cyril Henry, elder son of the late W. H. Theobald, of Sydney.

ANNOUNCEMENT

A marriage has been arranged, and will shortly take place, between Robert Cunningham Williams, of Sungei Sungkei, Perak, son of the late R. C. Williams P.W.D., India, and Sarah, daughter of Sir Bartle and Lady Frere, of Mangreen Hall, Norwich.

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MEN ARE MORE THAN ANTS

The day's news is a mixed record of victory and defeat accounts of mankind's progress being shadowed by disasters supposed to be its price. Side by side we read of the finding of a charred air liner and its occupants on a New York mountain top, of a new coast-to-coast record established by another air liner and of a nearly perfect new system of weather forecasting which promotes plans for air routes from California to Hawaii and Australia. In the same paper appears reports of governmental plans for relief of drought-stricken farm areas and articles disclosing the ill effects of some governmental attempts to readjust the economic machinery. On all sides we find humanity advancing, but apparently paying a heavy penalty for each step of progress. To a casual observer it might appear that men are merely ants, but ants also go forward. Let a tree fall across their line of march, and they surmount or circle it, carry off the casualties and go on to their objective. They even display ability to learn from experience and will change their path if enough trees fall across it.

Men, too, go on. While one ship is wrecked a thousand others fly on to their goals. Men, too, learn from experience. When ships or airplanes crash in fog, steps are taken to conquer fog. Last year an airplane guided by radio beacons and altitude finders flew absolutely fog-blinded, yet truly and safely, from Washington to Newark. The measures now being taken to relieve men stricken by drought or by failure of our economic system are far in advance of anything hitherto attempted.

Men are more than ants. The tree does not have to fall on their path a hundred times before they change their way though very often it seems we are woefully slow, that we display more antlike persistence than human intelligence. There is too much error in our trial-and-error method. We need not pay so heavy a price for progress. We need not have so many plane crashes nor so many unhappy experiences with noble experiments in social legislation. We cannot escape the penalties for our mistakes, but we can reduce the mistakes.

For men are more than ants. Men can dream, and men can pray. They are not wholly occupied—though often they seem to be—with the satisfaction of material wants. They seek spiritual satisfactions. They are not merely more intelligent than insects; they have some perception of the divine source of intelligence. And as they develop their perception of that unerring Mind they throw off the shackles of ignorance. Men have gone far already, but they will go farther and faster and cease to pay so dearly for each advance, as they abandon ant-like purposes and learn to express the intelligence available to them.

EUROPEAN LAD KILLED

Fall Into Nullah While At Play

Much sympathy will be extended by a wide circle of friends to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hollands at the death of their ten-year-old son Guy under very sudden and tragic circumstances.

It would appear that the lad was playing with some of his brothers on the grounds at Government Quarters, Mount Parish, when he overbalanced and fell into a nullah, dropping 25 feet or more and landing on his head.

The accident happened at about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. He was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital suffering from a fractured skull and passed away late in the evening.

The funeral will pass the Monument at 5.30 p.m. to-day.

INDUSTRIAL & COMMERCIAL SAVINGS BANK

To Be Established In Canton

Canton, Aug. 28.

Mr. Lam Wan Hoi, Chairman of the Canton Provincial Government, is now busily occupied with the establishment of an Industrial & Commercial Savings Bank for the convenience and advancement of industry and commerce.

It is reported that he has deputed Mr. Chan Chung Pak and others to attend to the matter.

According to their plans, the capital of the bank will be $5,000,000 to be equally borne by the Government and the merchants of the Canton city, and that it will co-operate with the bankers of Canton and Hong Kong, so far as banking business is concerned.

It is hoped that this new Industrial and Commercial Savings Bank will be opened for business in the Spring of 1935.

CHINA'S GREAT TEACHER

Remembered By The People

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, Aug. 27.

Known as the leader for all ages, Confucius is remembered as the saviour of the country as indicated to-day by the wide celebration of his birthday. To make sure that the old saint is gone but not forgotten, to-day is a public holiday not only in Canton but throughout the country.

General Chiang Kai Shek has a special reverence for Confucius, as his New Life Movement is modelled after the principles of the ancient philosopher. In Canton the teachings of this sage have the respect and admiration of General Chen Tsai Tong, who recommended that the Confucian classics be made part of the required courses in all schools.

This suggestion was duly approved by the provincial authorities, and the new Commissioner of Education made a thorough study of the Confucian principles before he took the post. Now these ancient classics are just as important as the principles laid down by the late Dr. Sun Yat Sen.

Like an ordinary individual, Confucius was most anxious to become a government official, but his special objective was not to make money but to carry out his moral principles. When his counsel was no longer listened to by the king, Confucius left him and went to another kingdom, China being then divided into seven kingdoms. He had a large number of disciples, among whom Mencius was the outstanding and was named as a sage.

Even after his death over 1,500 years ago, Confucius had his ups and downs. During the Ching or Manchu Dynasty, he was worshipped as the greatest man in China, but in the early days of the Kuomintang goverment the bearded sage was ignored as his principles of loyalty to the king were deemed counter-revolutionary. To-day opinion has changed, and Confucius is again the hero of China.

DUTCH AIR MAILS

Singapore, August 28.

It is announced that as from September 5 the K.L.M. (Royal Dutch Airways) service between Amsterdam and Batavia will fly to its winter time schedule.

This means that in future the Dutch machines will be a day later in arrival at Singapore on the outward journey. Days of departure remain the same.

FERTILISER PLANT

New Scheme In Canton

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, Aug. 28.

Private land at Saichuen, an industrial area west of the city, is being condemned in order to secure a site for the construction of a fertiliser plant to be operated by the Provincial Department of Reconstruction. In the condemned area all owners must bring their deeds to show their ownership and will be compensated for between $60 and $200 a mou or Chinese acre.

Those who claim to own the land but cannot produce title deeds will not be compensated, such land being treated as property of the state. Altogether 60 mou or Chinese acres will be required for the fertiliser factory.

Owing to the high import tariff and the introduction of many taxes the prices of imported fertilisers are so expensive that farmers and planters cannot afford to buy them. The fertiliser to be manufactured by the Provincial Department of Reconstruction will be somewhat cheaper, there being no tariff or taxes on government-produced goods.

Machinery for the new plant will be ordered from England. The construction work and installation will be completed in one year, it is said.

KWANGTUNG'S AFFAIRS

Interest Shown By Nanking

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, August 27.

The National Government is taking a greater concern over the affairs in Kwangtung, as several officials have arrived here from Nanking to investigate the finance, postal, railway and other matters in this province.

Mr. Teng Shui Yam a member of the Legislative Yuan in Nanking, is the latest arrival. A follower of Mr. Sun Fo, Mr. Teng Shui Yam is best remembered in Canton as the Minister of Finance, when the National Government was set up here in 1931. It is said that he came here on private matters.

However, it has been repeatedly reported that Mr. Sun Fo, President of the Legislative Yuan, is planning a visit to Canton after his sojourn in Honolulu. It is believed in well-informed circles here that Mr. Teng just paves the way for Mr. Sun's visit. There are conflicting reports on the purpose of Mr. Sun's objective in Canton, but is understood that he intends to come here to find out the attitude of the South-west towards Nanking.

The Ministry of Finance is represented here by Mr. Lee Shing Yik, former adviser to Mr. T. V. Soong. Mr. Li is a financial expert and comes to Canton to determine the income and expenditure of the Kwangtung government.

The other representatives are minor officials from Nanking, and their presence in Canton is connected strictly with routine matters without political significance.

THE VATICAN AND MANCHUKUO

Rome, Aug. 28.

Vatican circles deny the technical accuracy of reports that the Holy See has recognised Manchukuo.

It is pointed out however, that one of the Vicars Apostolic had been instructed to negotiate with the authorities of Kirin Province regarding the Roman Catholic Mission, which might be construed to imply unofficial recognition.—*Reuter.*

CHANG HSUEH LIANG LEAVES FOR KULING

Hankow, Aug. 28.

Marshal Chang Hsueh Liang left for Kiukiang last night on board a Chinese gunboat on his way to Kuling, in response to a summons from the Generalissimo. *Reuter.*

INNINGS DEFEAT FOR SUSSEX

London, Aug. 28.

The Australians defeated Sussex by an innings and 35 runs. Sussex scored only 221 in the second innings, Bowley contributing 63 and John Langridge 53, while Fleetwood-Smith took 5 for 87 and O'Reilly 4 for 49. *Reuter.*

(Earlier scores will be found on Page 10)

F.B.I. MISSION TO MANCHUKUO

Goodwill Visit To Japan

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug 15.

The Federation of British Industries has decided to send an industrial mission in the immediate future to Manchukuo, for the purpose of studying conditions in that country and of ascertaining whether British industry can co-operate with local interests in its development.

The mission will also pay a short visit of courtesy and goodwill to Japan, with the object of establishing friendly contact with the representative organisations of Japanese industry and commerce.

The mission will be composed of the following members:

Lord Barmby past president of the Federation of British Industries.

Sir Charles Seligman, senior director of Seligman Brothers, Ltd., bankers; vice-chairman Commercial Union Assurance Company; director National Discount Company.

Mr. Guy Locock director of the Federation of British Industries.

Mr. Jullian Piggott, M.C., representing the British Iron and Steel Federation.

CHINA'S WESTWARD DEVELOPMENT

HOW HIGHWAYS WILL FACILITATE TRADE

Outlet For Over-Crowded Territory

From Our Own Correspondent

The extension of modern communications for the rehabilitation of the North-West is not only for the purpose of developing economic resources but to provide an outlet for immigration, declares the "Central China Daily News" in an editorial comment on the Government's plan. "Going Westward" has become a popular slogan, and the Government, realizing the necessity of developing that vast, rich and fertile region, is concentrating attention upon the construction of railways and highways and the establishment of agricultural experimental stations in the North-West, through the National Economic Council.

The Central China Daily News, by the term "Noth-West," refers to the provinces of Shensi, Suiyuan, Kansu, Chinghai, and Sinkiang, which together constitute about one-fourth of China. From the geographical point of view, the provinces to be first developed are unquestionably Shansi, Shensi, Suiyuan, Kansu, and Ninghsia, because they are near Central China, and it is impossible to develop Chinghai and Sinkiang without first having better means of communication between Central China and Shansi and neighbouring provinces.

Roads Before Railways

Despite the urgent necessity for railway transportation in the development of the North-West, where transport depends a great deal upon the Lung-Hai Railway, the Nanking journal is of opinion that the Government is not—and for some time is not likely to be—in a financial position to extend this line or build a new one, and therefore the development of the North-West has to depend more on highways. The Shensi and Kansu Provincial Governments have already started construction of a highway between Sianfu and Lanchow, and plans have been made for the construction of three trunk roads—one between Hanchung and Sianfu in Shensi, another between Paotouchen in Suiyuan and Hsining in Ninghsia, and a third between Sianfu and Szechuan.

Meeting Mutual Needs

The Central China Daily News suggests that the Sianfu-Szechuan and Sianfu-Hanchung highways be constructed as soon as possible, as with the completion of these highways products of the North-West can be easily sent to Hupeh, Szechuan, and down the Yangtze River. On account of lack of communication between Szechuan and Shensi, Szechuan has to import cotton from abroad through Shanghai, and Hankow, while Shensi every year has surplus cotton production which cannot be transported to Szechuan. On the other hand, Shensi lacks salt, sugar, and rice, of which comodities Szechuan produces plenty. The construction of the Shensi-Szechuan highway will enable these two provinces to exchange products, and the Szechuan-Kansu highway will also help to move immigrants from Szechuan into thinly-populated Kansu.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Three cases of enteric fever were reported for the 24 hours ended on August 27.

One case of diphtheria was reported to the local health authorities during the week-end.

Half of the verandah at No. 12 Peel Street collapsed last evening. Fortunately there was no casualties.

A Dinner Dance will be held at Repulse Bay Hotel to-day. The "Andetonians" Band will be in attendance on this occasion.

Mr. E. W. Railton and Mr. W. Mueller were passengers arriving in Hong Kong from Europe aboard the Terukuni Maru yesterday.

It was announced at the Rotary Club yesterday that September 18 has been provisionally marked down for Ladies Day.

A boy of eleven was treated at the G.C.H. on Monday for a dog-bite after being attacked by an animal at 96, Lockhart Road, where he resided, and where the owner of the dog also lives.

The forthcoming marriage is announced between Mr. Cyril Frederick Wood of the China Light and Power Company and Miss Lorna Margaret Printz Tollan of 119 The Peak.

Ng Kan Tak, of Fah Yuen Shing village, Kowloon City, was taken to Kowloon Hospital on Monday in a serious condition after taking an overdose of opium and cutting his throat. He died shortly after admission.

London, August 27.—Mr. A. de V. Wade, Chief Native Commissioner, Kenya, has been selected for appointment as Colonial Secretary, Kenya, in succession to Mr. H. M. M. Moore, who is appointed Governor of Sierra Leone. —British Wireless.

Construction has begun for two new markets in the Wanchai district one in Bowrington Canal Road West and the other at the junction of Lockhart Road and Johnston Road, next to the Children's playground. The markets are expected to be completed within the next three months.

On Monday night, the Hong Kong Philharmonic Society staged their first rehearsal of "Merrie England," which they will play before the public shortly. Much enthusiasm was evinced by the performers, and it is expected that a very successful show will be produced by the Society.

It is learned that as from October 1, the Kowloon Canton Railway will run a fast train from Kowloon to Canton at noon and also a downward train from Canton. On both journeys stops will be made at six stations, including Sumchun. The idea of the stoppages is to pick up any intermediate traffic. The journey will probably take three to three and three-quarter hours either way.

The Consul General for the Netherlands regrets his inability to give a reception on the anniversary of the Birthday of Her Majesty Wilhelmina, Queen of the Netherlands, on Friday, the 31st of August, owing to the mourning of the Royal Family on account of the deaths of Her Majesty the Queen-Mother and His Royal Highness the Prince-Consort. A register of congratulation will be lying at the Netherland Consulate General, Asiatic Building, for friends to sign on the said date between 9.30 a.m. and noon. The Consulate General will be closed for the transaction of official business.

NEWS SUMMARY

A most absorbing address on "An Indiscreet Science" was delivered by Rev. Father Byrne at the Rotary Club yesterday. Page 7

Sir Thomas Southorn has accepted an invitation to become an honorary member of the Rotary Club and attended yesterday for the first time in that capacity. Page 11

The official classification of ponies by the Hong Kong Jockey Club appears on Page 10

The leper problem was the subject of considerable discussion at the fortnightly meeting of the Sanitary Board yesterday when Mr. M. K. Lo moved that facilities for treatment and segregation should be provided for the lepers. Page 7

Allegations against the professional conduct of a local medical practitioner were made at a Coroner's inquiry into the death of a Chinese woman who died from narcotic poison said to be self-administered. The doctor was alleged to have demanded $75 before treatment to the patient. Page 6

In view of the very great interest that is being evinced in Home football, our football correspondent, "Left Out" is giving a review of the activities of the different teams for the last three years. The first article appears on page 10.

The extension of modern communications for the rehabilitation is not only for the purpose of developing economic resources, says our Shanghai correspondent in a very chatty letter. Page 8

The fund which is being raised to rebuild the Nethersole Hospital block of the Alice Memorial and Affiliated Hospitals has recently received the promise of two very liberal donations. The Hon. Mr. T. N. Chau has promised $10,000 while Mr. Ma Ying Piu also, has promised a similar donation. Page 6

H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

To-day being Settlement Day there was not much doing. Apart from a steady demand for Telephones and Electrics there is not much of interest to record. The Settlement which was a small one passed off without any difficulty.

SALES

Union Insurances, $545.
Underwriters, $1.20.
Antamoks, 61½/62 cts.
Providents (old), $1.57½.
China Lights (old), $8¾/8.80.
Cements, $2.60.

BUYERS

H.K. Banks $1735.
Underwriters, $1.20.
Providents (old), $1½.
Ewo Cottons, Sh. $10.90.
H.K. Lands, $52½.
Chinese Estates, $85.
Yaumati Ferries, $21.
China Lights (old), $8.70.
China Lights (new), $8.30.
Electrics, $71½.
Telephones (old), $24.10.
Singapore Tractions (Pref.) 17/3
Constructions (new), 78 cts.
Govt. Loan (4%), 7½% Prem.
Govt. Loan (3½%), 2½% Prem.

SELLERS

Union Insurances, $500.
Underwriters, $1.20.
Wharves, $112.
Telephones (new), $11½.

TRAIN DISASTER IN NORTH KOREA

Seoul, Aug. 28.

Three were killed and 42 injured in a train disaster near Gensan in North Korea when several coaches plunged over a bridge into the River Kyoto Kusen.

Only the engine remained on the bridge. The disaster is believed to be the work of terrorists.—*Reuter.*

NAVAL PROGRAMME OF FRANCE

Marine Minister Discloses His Intentions

Paris, August 28.

"I am determined to be a partisan of big units," declared M. Pietri, Minister of Marine, at an interview.

"The foremost item in my programme is the building of a sister ship to the battleship Dunkerque. The latter may be finished in 1937 and the sister ship in 1938.

"I have ordered a complete transformation of three battleships of the Provence class, the first of which will be ready in a few months."

M. Pietri also introduced a four-year plan to improve naval and air service construction and subterranean petrol depots of which one has already been constructed at Ajaccio, and the supply of a new model of land batteries on the Algerian and Moroccan coasts.—*Reuter.*

EAST LOCARNO PACT

Poland's Ironclad Conditions

[Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (*Copyright.*)]

Paris, Aug. 27.

Poland's three ironclad conditions which are stubbornly holding up the signature to the much discussed East Locarno pact, were published on Monday by the well-informed conservative "Temps."

The first Polish requirement is a refusal under any circumstances to allow Soviet troops to march through Polish territory though, at a special request, Poland is ready to co-operate with the navy and air fleet.

Secondly, the demands for a final settlement of the Polish-Lithuanian conflict including the solution of the Vilna dispute and the restoration of normal diplomatic relations between the two countries.

As the last prerequisite to the acceptance of the East Locarno Pact, Poland wishes to be guaranteed in future to be informed of all diplomatic conversations conducted by the French Foreign office and be allowed to participate in preliminaries and major diplomatic steps before they were made, as not in the case of the Franco-Soviet negotiations which led up to the present pact.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

EUROPEAN PEACE

Austria's Efforts Stressed

[Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (*Copyright.*)]

Vienna, Aug. 27.

What was expected to be the opening move of the Austrian request for new international loans at the forthcoming assembly of the League of Nations was launched on Monday by an article in the semi-official "Neuigkeitweltblatt" here.

The strikingly frank article reminds the European Powers that "they were obligated to deliver practical thanks to Austria for time and again offering a tribute from their dearest resources and best men for the sake of European peace. Without desiring war, the article goes on, Austria in the last year twice saved Europe from plunging into conflict by bending every energy to localize the war danger and scotch it upon Austrian territory. If the independence and freedom of Austria is so great a value to the European States as internal and public opinion so often maintained, then the continent is under obligation to make practical recognition of Austria's services and participate in the burdens which Austria was thus forced to bear."—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

MAJ.-GEN. FINLAYSON'S NEW COMMAND

London Aug. 27.

Major-General E. G. Finlayson has been appointed Commander of the Third Division with effect from 15th October in succession to Lieutenant-General Pitt Taylor.—*British Wireless.*

OIL RESERVOIR EXPLOSION

Disaster In South America

Buenos Aires, Aug. 28.

So far one person has been killed and 50 injured as the result of an explosion in two reservoirs containing over two million gallons of petroleum.

In Campana the whole section of the town is on fire. The flames have spread to other reservoirs.

Extreme panic has been created by the disaster and the population is fleeting from the town.

The railway station has been destroyed. A fire fighting train has been despatched from Buenos Aires.—*Reuter.*

ARRESTS ON C. E. R.

Allegations Of Torture

Moscow, Aug. 28.

Fifty four Soviet employees of the Chinese Eastern Railway have been arrested in Manchukuo since August 18 according to the Tass Agency. Their relatives have been kept in a state of anxiety by stories of inhuman tortures at the police stations.

It is alleged that several relatives have received parcels of blood-stained clothing of prisoners being coerced to confess that they were acting under orders to organise raids on trains and stations.—*Reuter.*

ANOTHER U. S. STRIKE

Textile Workers Preparing

Washington, Aug. 28.

A walk out in the woollen and rayon industries is being prepared by the strike committee of the United Textile Workers.

According to Mr. Francis Gorman, chairman of the committee, it is highly possible that the walk out will be simultaneous with the cotton strike date.

The cotton strike date remains uncertain. It will probably start this week, but it is unlikely that it will be fully effective before September 4.—*Reuter.*

CHICAGO'S GREAT UNPAID

School Teachers Draw Arrears Of Wages

Chicago, Aug. 27.

The City's great unpaid, namely 17,000 teachers and other school employees formed a night-long queue to draw the arrears of wages paid by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation loan.

The arrears averaged $1,500 apiece and will be mostly devoted to payment of debts to landlords, clothiers and grocers.

Mayor Kelly has declared that Chicago is now on a sound and solvent basis.—*Reuter.*

CABLE NEWS IN BRIEF

Japanese Instructor For China

[Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (*Copyright.*)]

Moscow, Aug. 27.

The Japanese Government has accepted the offer to provide an instructor for the newly organised Chinese Marine Academy at Foochow in the province of Fukien, according to reports from Tokio appearing in the official organ of the Red Army, "Krasnaya Svesda" on Monday.

The surprise request by the Chinese Government was fulfilled by the Japanese Marine Ministry by the appointment of Captain Tenoka who till now was the commandant of a flying squadron in Yokosuka harbour.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

AIR RACE BALLOONS

Paris, Aug. 27.

Two German non-rigid balloons taking part in the air races in Dusseldorf were forced down in French territory on Monday, one 300 miles south of Paris near the town of Arrenes and the other further south near Correze.

After an examination of the balloonists' papers, the French authorities rendered the racers all possible assistance.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

SOVIET WELCOME TO TURKISH OFFICERS

Odessa, Aug. 27.

Twelve high Turkish officers led by General Fachrettin Pascha were welcomed with high military honours as they arrived here to the sound of bands and salutes of harbour guns.

The twelve-men commission left a few hours for Moscow where they will participate in the huge-scale manoeuvres of the Red Army as a return visit to that made by the Soviet Military Mission to Istanbul during the commemoration of the tenth anniversary of the founding of the Turkish Republic.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

MOUNTAIN CLIMBING MIRACLE

Chamonix, Aug. 27.

A mountain climbing miracle was revealed in the Swiss alps on Monday when a searching party which was combing the steep defiles and deep glacier cracks in the surrounding region for a French alpinist who disappeared eight days ago, recovered the victim of the climbing accident alive.

Despite more than a week's exposure to the snow, wind and biting cold of the mountain nights, the man who had fallen into a ravine from which he was unable to escape on his own power, suffered only critically frozen legs. He was taken to hospital and it is stated that he has every chance of a full recovery.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

MARATHON CYCLISTS

Warsaw, Aug. 27.

The crack German bicycle team pedalled out the best Polish athlete to win the first Warsaw to Berlin cyclist race in the history of the two countries.

The German star, Scheller, who was favoured to win after leading the field by a comfortable margin in the first two days had bad luck in the last few hours when he suffered four punctured tyres and one pedal breakage which forced him to concede first place to Hauswald, a dark horse.

The population in the Polish capital accorded all the marathon cyclists a warm welcome as they finished the gruelling race through the main streets of Warsaw.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

OLD WOMAN'S DEATH

Munich, Aug. 27.

The oldest woman in Germany, Frau Maria Schoepperle, died on Monday aged 106 in the idyllic town of Lenzkirch in the province of Baden. Born in June, 1828, the old lady passed away in the presence of her three children aged 80, 77 and 72.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

ARMS MANUFACTURERS AND FOREIGN FIRMS

Interesting Disclosures Foreshadowed

Washington, Aug. 28.

Disclosures on relations between the United States armament manufacturers and large foreign firms are foreshadowed by Senator Pope, a member of the Senate's special munitions investigating committee which meets on September 4.

Senator Pope declared that the records of the Navy Department in the case of many private firms "disclosed interesting international situations."

It is predicted that the committee is likely to investigate the shipment of scrap iron from the United States to Japan, in which connection the Department of Commerce report shows that 101,293 out of 155,812 tons exported from the United States in July were shipped to Japan.—*Reuter.*

CONTROL OF N. R. A.

Gen. Johnson's Victory

Washington, Aug. 27.

The battle between General Hugh Johnson and Mr. Donald Richberg over the future of the National Recovery Administration is over.

Observers to-day conceded that General Johnson had won a complete tactical victory and has emerged as the undisputed dictator of N.R.A.

His personal battle with Mr. Donald Richberg, which also involved Miss Perkins, the Secretary of the Department of Labour, concerned plans submitted for the reorganisation of N.R.A.

Mr. Richberg, who is General Counsel of N.R.A., submitted plans which called, it is understood, for changes in N.R.A. modifying its labour status improvement side among other things, but General Johnson has come out on top in the conflict.

It is understood that Mr. Richberg will remain at least temporarily as counsel to N.R.A. with the understanding that General Johnson is the Chief. Later, he will probably be appointed head of the National Emergency Council.

Miss Perkins is expected to confine her activities very closely to the Labour Department.

Generally speaking, President Roosevelt has worked out a plan to keep off both from stepping on the sensitive toes of General Johnson.—*Reuter.*

SALVATION ARMY COMMAND

Choosing A New General

London, Aug. 28.

Forty-seven Councillors of the Salvation Army from all parts of the world are meeting in London to-day to choose a new General to succeed General Higgins, who is retiring in November.

General Higgins yesterday gave a formal reception to the Councillors, whom he exhorted to perform their great purpose in a great way.

As a two-thirds majority is requirement for the appointment, the ballotting may last two days. Nominations will not be made until the Council meets.—*Reuter.*

CANTON'S INDUSTRIAL COLLEGES

Work To Be Sent To Peiping

Canton, August 28.

In order to advance education, the authorities of the Nanking Educational Department recently decided to hold a Grand Exhibition of the work of all the Industrial Schools and Colleges throughout the country.

The Grand Exhibition, according to their plans, will be held in Peiping in the middle of November this year.

It is reported that the students of the Canton Industrial Schools and Colleges are now busily preparing their exhibits for this Grand Exhibition.

AMERICA CUP RACE

Rainbow's Chances Bright

Newport, R.I., August 27.

The Rainbow's chance of defending the America Cup against Mr. Tom Sopwith's Endeavour in the 1934 yachting classic next month has been greatly increased in consequence of her victory over the Yankee by 3 minutes 11 seconds over a 30-mile triangular course to-day.

Had the Yankee won her choice would have been practically certain, but the same does not apply to the Rainbow, as the Yankee's performances hitherto have been superior to that of her rival, notwithstanding the fact that the latter is a new craft, built by the Vanderbilt syndicate at a cost of a million dollars specially for the America Cup race.—*Reuter.*

SILVER MARKET

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

London August 28.

London Silver prices to-day were unchanged, as follow:—

	Aug. 27	Aug. 28
Spot	21-9/16	21-9/16
Forward	21-9/16	21-9/16

London on New York cross rate at 2.00 p.m. to-day was 5.05-7/16 compared with 5.06 at closing yesterday.

DISASTROUS FIRE IN CHICAGO

Armour Factory Damaged

Chicago, Aug. 27.

Fears of a repetition of the great stockyard disaster of four months' ago were aroused by a fierce outbreak in the yards to-day.

Workers frantically drove the bellowing cattle to the leeward of the flames and prodigious efforts by the fire brigades enabled them to restrict the outbreak to one of Armour's factories.

The damage is estimated at $75,000.—*Reuter.*

ADVANCEMENT OF SCIENCE

British Association Activities

London, Aug. 27.

The British Association for the Advancement of Science which is holding its annual meeting at Aberystwyth next month and at which most of Britain's best known scientists, as well as many distinguished foreign visitors, will be present, is expected to produce practical contributions towards the solution of many modern problems.

At last year's meetings, the British Association formed committees to investigate such subjects as noise, water supplies and various aspects of wireless telegraphy, and the fruits of the researches made are to be announced at the Aberystwyth meetings.—*British Wireless.*

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FLOOD HAVOC IN INDIA

Hardinge Bridge Endangered

Calcutta, Aug. 27.

The extent of the flood disaster is spreading alarmingly as the Ganges continues to rise.

At least fifty villages are known to have been swept away and it is feared that the loss of life has been heavy, although thousands of fugitives from the storm waters have managed to reach places of safety.

Reports show that hundreds of head of cattle have perished, while the crops in several districts in Bihar and Orissa have been badly damaged where not entirely destroyed.

Experts are now anxiously watching the great Hardinge Railway Bridge at Saran, the longest in India, which was built by British engineers a score of years ago at a cost of three millions sterling.

Thousands of men have been working for five months to protect the bridge from flood dangers and hitherto the new protective walls have withstood the torrent of flood waters.—*Reuter.*

RIOTS IN CORINTH

[Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (*Copyright.*)]

Athens, Aug. 27.

Violent farmer riots broke out in the historic city of Corinth on Monday when the assembled landowners demonstrated against the new agricultural prices fixable by Government, and attempted to burn one of the largest Corinthian's granaries. Police intervention saved the main buildings but one person was killed and scores injured.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

LABOUR IN AUSTRIA

Demand for Policy Of Conciliation

[Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (*Copyright.*)]

Vienna, Aug. 27.

A warning was delivered to the new Austrian Government by the vice-burgomaster of Vienna, Winkler, in a public letter published on Monday in which he pleaded for a policy of conciliation toward the labour forces of the country, closing with the ominous words that otherwise the new workers movement will inevitably turn vigorously against the reorganised State.

Dr. Winkler has been entrusted with the formation of the new labour organisation within the limited frame of the new Austrian constitution and therefore a sharp public protest against the Government policy is as sharply effective as unexpected.

The gist of the public message to the Government is that the nation must not attempt to exclude the leaders of old social, democratic and free labour unions from participating in its affairs, unless they wish and force the creation of an extra legal labour movement. Winkler himself announced his determination to continue the creation of groups of workers both in Vienna and the provinces.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

CHINESE MINISTERS IN NANKING

Nanking, Aug. 28.

Dr. Wellington Koo and Mr. W. W. Yen arrived here from Shanghai to-day. They are proceeding to Kuling to-morrow to see Marshal Chiang Kai Shek.—*Reuter.*

JAPANESE DAVIS CUP PLAYERS GIVE EXHIBITION IN KOWLOON

HOME FOOTBALL REVIEW

Results For Last Three Seasons

(BY "LEFT OUT")

Although the Home football season is but a week old, much interest is being taken in the activities of the teams participating in the league and for this reason a review of the past three season will make interesting reading.

By way of a start, I am publishing the results of the matches of the teams engaged this week-end, and this will be followed up by other results in the course of the week.

FIRST DIVISION

			Results 1931	1932	1934
Arsenal	v.	Liverpool	6—0	0—1	2—1
A. Villa	v.	Derby	2—0	2—0	0—1
Blackburn	v.	Leeds	—	1—1	4—2
Chelsea	v.	L'cester	1—0	4—1	2—0
Everton	v.	Preston	—	—	—
Grimsby	v.	P'mouth	3—1	—	—
H'field	v.	T'ham	—	—	2—0
Manchester C.	v.	Wednesday	1—2	2—2	2—3
Middlebro'	v.	W. Brom	1—0	3—1	3—0
Stoke	v.	B'ham	—	—	1—1
Wolves	v.	S'land	—	0—2	1—6

SECOND DIVISION

Barnsley	v.	P. Vale	3—0	—	—
Blackpool	v.	Hull	—	—	0—0
Bolton	v.	Bury	—	—	2—0
Bradford C.	v.	Swansea	5—1	1—1	2—1
Newcastle	v.	Brentford	—	—	—
Norwich	v.	Fulham	2—2	—	—
Nottingham City	v.	Burnley	5—0	4—2	3—1
Plymouth	v.	Bradford	4—1	3—2	4—1
Sheffield U.	v.	Man. U.	—	—	—
Southampton	v.	Oldham	1—1	0—2	1—0
West Ham	v.	Notts. F.	—	4—3	2—1

THIRD DIVISION (North)

Barrow	v.	Halifax	3—1	3—3	5—2
Carlisle	v.	W'ham	2—2	2—1	0—0
Chester	v.	Acc'ton	1—0	4—2	7—0
Chesterfield	v.	Walsall	—	—	1—2
Doncaster	v.	S'port	1—1	1—1	0—2
H'pool	v.	Crewe	3—1	3—2	2—1
Middlefield	v.	R'ham	—	9—2	3—0
N. Brighton	v.	Dar'ton	0—0	7—1	3—2
R'dale	v.	T'mere	3—6	0—3	1—0
Southport	v.	G'head	1—1	4—1	1—1
York	v.	Lincoln	1—1	—	—

THIRD DIVISION (South)

B'mouth	v.	Coventry	2—2	3—1	3—3
Bristol R.	v.	Luton	3—1	0—0	0—1
Charlton	v.	Brighton	—	—	4—3
Crystal P.	v.	Cardiff	5—0	4—1	3—2
Newport	v.	Bristol C.	—	1—1	2—2
N'hampton	v.	Clapton	4—3	3—0	3—0
Queen's P. R.	v.	A'shot	—	2—2	2—1
Reading	v.	Gil'ham	2—0	4—0	2—0
Southend	v.	Exeter	0—1	1—2	3—1
Torquay	v.	Swindon	2—1	4—3	2—0
Watford	v.	Millwall	—	—	—

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

			Results 1931	1932	1934
Aberdeen	v.	Dun'line	—	—	—
Alb. R.	v.	M'well	—	—	—
Clyde	v.	Falkirk	1—0	3—1	2—0
H'ton	v.	Airdrie	3—1	7—0	4—2
Hearts	v.	Dundee	3—1	1—0	6—1
Kilnock	v.	Ayr. U.	5—1	3—5	4—2
Queen's P.	v.	Celtic	0—3	4—1	2—3
Queen of S.	v.	St. Mirren	—	—	0—1
Rangers	v.	Partick	4—0	3—0	2—2
St. J'stone	v.	Hibs	2—1	—	0—1

HOME FOOTBALL

League Results

London, Aug. 27.

The following were the results of football matches played to-day in the English League:—

First Division

Aston Villa	2	Wolves	1
Huddersfield	1	Derby	0
Stoke	3	Leeds	1
Tottenham	1	Preston	2

Second Division

Barnsley	1	Notts County	1
Blackpool	4	Newcastle	1
Bradford C.	2	Sheffield U.	5
Fulham	2	Brentford	2
Norwich	4	Bury	1
Southampton	0	Port Vale	0
Swansea	5	Oldham	1
West Ham	1	Burnley	2

Third Division (South)

Cardiff	1	Luton	0
Charlton	3	Torquay	2
New Port	8	Bournemouth	1
Northampton	2	Exeter	1

Third Division (North)

Chesterfield	0	Tranmere	2
Rotherham	2	Halifax	2

Reuter.

BOWLERS LEAVE

Team Sails On President Taft

The Hong Kong Lawn Bowls team sailed in the early hours of this morning on the President Taft for Shanghai.

They will commence playing in Shanghai on Friday and their engagements extend to September 11. They will stay at the Palace Hotel.

The interport dinner will take place on September 8, following the third match of the series of three between Hong Kong and Shanghai.

DOUBLE CENTURY BY KIPPAX

Sussex's Hard Task

London, August 27.

Sussex, who are playing the Australians at Hove, declared at 304 for 8 (John Parkes 60, Cook 60, James Langridge 57). Fleetwood-Smith took five wickets for 114.

The Australians trounced the bowlers, Alan Kippax scoring 250, Darling 117, Brown 86 and Bradman 19. Their total was 560, which leaves them with an excess of 256 runs.—*Reuter.*

CLASSIFICATION OF PONIES

Many Changes In Official List

The official classification of ponies by the Hong Kong Jockey Club has just been released and reveals many changes.

In the "C" class for China ponies there are forty-eight candidates, while no fewer than sixty-two are in the "D" class.

There are sixteen Australians in the "A" class and twenty in the "B."

The full list is as follows:

AUSTRALIAN PONIES

"A" CLASS

Able Amazon, Alacrity, Atlas, Bag Tor, Bobniak Star, Bronze Era, High Finance, Just That, Little Vic, Mutiny Bay, Nell Gwyn, Night Star, Racing Heart, Rosy Morn, Saucy Face, Woodland Stag.

"B" CLASS

Australian Boy, But After That, Cheeky Face, City of Brisbane, Dancing Hall, Dinty, Empire Day, Fanling Fox, Glorious Star, Kilrea, Lucy Glitters, Manna, Polar Star, Portia, Ration, St. Joan, Tecumseh, The Giraffe, The Goose, Vriday.

CHINA PONIES

"A" CLASS

Bag and Baggage, Brilliant Star, Cossack's Beauty, Diana Bay, Electric Star, Hetman, Hydroplane, King's Justice, Liberty Bay, Lunar Star, Sadko, Soldier of Britain, Trentbridge.

"B" CLASS

Bay View, Blue Star, Brechin, Bright Star, Bright View, Chateau Bay, Don, Gladiator, Gleneagles, High Speed, King's Bounty, King's Fancy, Mayflower, New Star, Oak Bay, Pride of Tsingtao, Prima Donna, Soldier of China, Soldier of Germany, Spinaway.

"C" CLASS

Bayardo, Beta, Bistre, Budge, Chief Seattle, Copperfield, Copper Idol, Daylight Eve, Diego, Fair View, Flying Tourist, Fudge, Gay Crusader, Glad Eyes, Glorious Sun, Gold Bullion, Gold Currency, Great Hall, Heart's Glory High Life, Hot Sun, Jungle Jim, King's Worthy, Lemberg, Limelight, Macaroni, Marquis Hall, Midday Sun, Monoplane, Partnership, Racing Boy, Racing Luck, Racing Pride, Ribble, Royal Flush, Sandy Bay, Solar Star, The Tiger, Tso Tak, Valorous, Vigilance, Wayward Stag, West Parade, What A Chance, White Jade Stag, William Osler, Wonderful Stag, Zero.

"D" CLASS

African Eve, Ajax, Banjolina, Banquet Hall, Betting Tax, Bold Commander, Boxing Eve, Burgomaster, Cavalcade, Chesterfield, Chivalrous, Chow Fan, City of Shanghai, Classic Hall, Colombo, Dancing Butterfly, Dare Devil, Ebony Idol, Fi-Fa, Gay Butterfly, Golden Dragon, Hell for Leather, Helter Skelter, Hey Tor, Hijacker, Hot Heels, In Good Time, Iron Grey, Ironsides, King Willow, King's Parade, Mike, Morning Sun, Mortmain, National Day, No Fear, Now's The Time, Philanderer, Pie Face, Potsdam, Powerful King, Racing Pluck, Racing Spirit, Racing Triumph, Sarabande, Sea View, Shaughraun, Soldier of Fortune, Soldier of Italy, Surprise, Sweet Life, The Bodega, The Carp, The Gadwall, The Redshank, Tilicum, Tiny Star, Vago Warrington, Widnes, Young Chap.

"E" CLASS

Amoy, Antamok, Black Velvet, Bold Marshal, Bran Tub, Brass Idol, Britannic Hall, Cebu, City View, Co-ship, Delightful Chance, De Minimis, Festival Eve, Gallant Fox, Harbour View, Jibsheet Jingle, Just Imagine, Kindo, King's Company, Little Beauty, Racing Beauty, St. Ives, Swastika, The Crook, The Panther, The Pochard, The Ruddy Sheldrake, Utopian, Valley Hall, Wapiti, Wembly Stag.

Thrilling Display By Yamagishi

VOLLEYING DUELS WITH LOCAL DOUBLES CHAMPIONS

Fujikura Shows A New Stroke

The Japanese Davis Cuppers, Yamagishi, Nishimura and Fujikura who arrived in the Colony yesterday morning by the N.Y.K. liner Terukuni Maru, were seen in exhibition lawn tennis matches at the Kowloon Cricket Club yesterday afternoon when a very large gathering of tennis fans were present.

The standard of tennis displayed was not as good as that of Nunoi and Jiro Satoh in the exhibition tennis games played at the Hong Kong Cricket Club at the beginning of 1933.

Yamagishi was easily the best of the Japanese trio, his execution being perfect while his volleying and half volleying was superb throughout.

Nishimura was also very good, displaying a dangerous back-hand while his killing at the net left nothing to be desired.

Fujikura, the youngest member of the trio played a very steady game throughout and exhibited for the first time in the Colony the double-handed back-hand smash, which is one of Vivian McGrath's—Australian Davis Cupper—most famous strokes.

Tsui Wai-pui the local singles champion displayed signs of nervousness in his set with Fujikura although as the match progressed he recovered his original form and was responsible for some brilliant drives down the side lines.

Tsui was weak on his forehand and had practically no control at all on this stroke, time and again sending the ball out of the court with a splendid opportunity facing him.

H. D. Rumjahn was very calm and although at first he failed to strike true form, he was later seen in some thrilling volleying duels at the net. His placements down the side-lines were excellent and during the doubles encounter when he partnered his cousin, S. A. Rumjahn, he was often seen at the top of his form, volleying and placing with deadly accuracy.

S. A. Rumjahn was also seen to advantage during the doubles game and often pulled the pair out of a rut with some splendid cross court volleys and half volleys, while his forehand driving often passed his opponents down the centre of the court.

Singles Match

The first match was one of singles between Tsui Wai-pui and Fujikura.

Tsui opened the service game and lost the game at 30-40 as a result of over hitting on his forehand.

Fujikura was seen to falter in his service game and was love 30 when he pulled himself out of the rut with some splendid placements in the corners of the court and had Tsui Wai-pui on the run continually.

In the following game Fujikura played well to take a love game but lost the fourth as a result of some brilliant drives by Tsui down the side lines which had Fujikura outpositioned.

The games thereafter went alternately to Tsui and Fujikura until the tenth game when the latter took it after leading 5 games to 3.

In the second set Fujikura went all out to take the set at 6-0, Tsui often coming to within a point of game only to lose four points off in a row, as a result of superb volleying by Fujikura.

Doubles Encounter

A doubles match between Yamagishi and H. D. Rumjahn and Nishimura and Fujikura followed the singles and in this Yamagishi was seen to advantage when by sheer determination he and Rumjahn recovered much ground from 1-5 games to 4-5, when Nishimura brought off some lovely ground shots to take the game and set.

In this encounter it could be seen that H. D. Rumjahn was not an ideal partner for Yamagishi and took some time to adapt his play and combination to that of the Japanese Davis Cupper.

Yamagishi was brilliant both from the baseline where he volleyed with deadly accuracy and at the net where he was practically unpassable, his kills reminding one of Nunoi, who it will be remembered, was particularly good at this stage of play.

Nishimura and Fujikura were a well balanced partnership and took the first set as a result of wonderful understanding and superb recoveries.

In the second set of this doubles match Yamagishi and Rumjahn were being led 4-1 when complete understanding and a brilliant all-round display by Yamagishi, who astounded the spectators with eleventh hour recoveries, brought them level to 4-4.

The opposition, Nishimura and Fujikura were particularly good in chopping the ball just over the net while their overhead work from the centre of the court evoked rounds of applause.

In the ninth and tenth games both sides were playing good tennis, although Yamagishi was seen to tire slightly as a result of bearing the brunt of the opposing attack.

It was in this game that Fujikura brought off a superb back-hand stroke round his back to take the game.

The last game in the set was an easy one for Nishimura and Fujikura who outdrove and outplaced their opponents to win at 40-15.

Rumjahn Cousins

The last match of the day was two sets of doubles in which Yamagishi and Nishimura were opposed to H. D. and S. A. Rumjahn.

The first set saw several exciting volleying duels between H. D. Rumjahn and Yamagishi, the Japanese Davis Cupper coming off best as a result of terrific speed and wonderful placing.

The Japanese led by three games to nil when S. A. Rumjahn came into the picture with some excellent drives which invariably found their mark, taking the game with a superb drive down the centre of the court, passing both the Japanese players.

Thereafter the Rumjahn cousins were seen on their true form and many of the games went to deuce before they were won.

The Japanese players made fine recoveries and as a result took the first set at 6-2.

In the second set the Rumjahns surprisingly led the Japanese pair at 2 games to 1 when the latter took a love game during S. A. Rumjahn's service game.

The Japanese pair eventually wore down the local doubles champions and walked away with the set and match at 6-3.

JARMAN WINS

Final of S.W.B. Championship

In the final of the singles billiards championship of the South Wales Borderers, Staff Sergeant Jarman won from Private Matthias by 500 points to 477.

As the score would indicate, the game was a close one, and more than once it appeared as though Matthias would win. Jarman was not quite at his best last night, but nevertheless he was sufficiently good enough to produce flashes of his real form.

U. S. BASEBALL

Giants Fail To Score

New York, August 27.

New York Giants received a surprise when they were blanked out to-day by Bill Lee of the Chicago Cubs. The latter had a stiff battle and managed to score one run to win.

St. Louis Cardinals registered eleven hits but scored only one run against Brooklyn Dodgers, who gathered ten runs.

In the American League, Bridges shut out Philadelphia Athletics while Detroit collected eleven runs.

New York Yankees gained the decision over Chicago White Sox in a very close game.

Cleveland Indians were in a similar position in their encounter with Boston, winning by an odd run.

The following were the results:

National League

	R.	H.	E.
New York	0	3	1
Chcago	1	5	1

Bill Lee pitched for Chicago.

Boston	5	10	1
Pittsburg	8	11	1
Brooklyn	10	16	1
St. Louis	1	11	1

Boyle homered for Brooklyn and Lachary pitched.

American League

Detroit	11	14	0
Philadelphia	0	5	2

Goslin homered for Detroit and Bridges pitched.

Chicago	2	8	0
New York	3	7	0
Cleveland	6	8	2
Boston	5	11	3
St. Louis	1	7	3
Washington	6	13	2

Reuter.

NEWS FROM CHINA

THE SILVER SITUATION

Statement By Dr. H. H. Kung

Kuling, Aug. 19.

Dr. H. H. Kung, Minister of Finance, has authorized the issuance of the following statement:—

"Contrary to the rumours that have disturbed the Shanghai markets during the past few days the Central Government is not contemplating the imposition of restrictions on export of silver.

"The movement of specie is a natural phenomenon of international commercial and financial relations. If an adverse balance of payments develops out of these relations it must be met by movements of specie, if other means are not available. With a view to facilitating the adjustments of such balances and to maintaining international credit, the Government will give all possible protection and assistance to legitimate trading and financial operations.

Situation Better

"It should be observed, however, that the situation is better than it has sometimes been represented. The import trade has declined recently in greater proportion than the export trade, so that the adverse merchandise balance is now declining.

"Moreover, it must always be remembered that only a comparatively small part of the merchandise trade balance requires to be met by shipments of silver and gold, and an even smaller proportion by shipment of silver itself.

"The Government is giving serious and continous consideration to the problems now confronting the markets and is prepared to protect and encourage the useful activities of the merchants and bankers of China regardless of nationality. The Government confidently expects their sincere cooperation in its efforts towards the maintenance of public confidence and the prevention of abuse thereof by speculative manipulation."—*Kuo Min.*

STUDENTS LEAVE

Nanking, Aug. 17.

The 24 students who are proceeding to Britain on post-graduate scholarships provided by the Board of Trustees for the British Boxer Indemnity Refund were given a farewell reception yesterday by President Wang Ching Wei and Minister Chu Chia Hua, Chairman of the Board. Both urged the students to apply themselves closely to their studies in order to prepare for future service to the Party and the State.—*Kuo Min.*

CHINESE ENGINEERS MEET

Tsinan, Aug. 21.

The 4th annual meeting of the Chinese Engineering Society was opened here yesterday under the chairmanship of Mr. Lin Chi Ching and with 145 members in attendance.

Besides the inaugural address of Mr. Lin, addresses were also made by Mr. Chang Hung-lieh, Provincial Commissioner of Reconstruction for Shantung, Mr. Wen Cheng Lieh, Mayor of Tsinan, and Messrs. Shen Tzu Fang and Hwa Nan Kuei.

In the afternoon session, various papers on technical subjects were presented by delegates.—*Kuo Min.*

DR. WELLINGTON KOO AND W. W. YEN

Leaves For Nanking

Shanghai, Aug. 28.

Mr. W. W. Yen and Dr. Wellington Koo arrived in Shanghai from Tsingtao this morning.

Dr. Wellington Koo, who called on Mr. T. V. Soong at 9 a.m., interviewed, said that he and Mr. Yen are leaving for Nanking this evening to see Mr. Wang Ching Wei and it is possible that they will go on to Kuling to see Chiang Kai-shek after their Nanking visit.

He stated that the date has not yet been fixed for his return to Paris.—*Reuter.*

TROLLEY CARS

New Innovation In Nanking

Nanking, Aug. 17.

Plans for the operation of trolley cars on Nanking streets are making rapid headway. The routes have already been marked and according to recommendations by the Nanking Municipal Government four stations will first be established with Hsinkaikow as the main station. As soon as the plans are approved by the Ministry of Industries, it is learned that the cars will be ordered from abroad and a machine factory will be established at Nanking.—*Kuo Min.*

KWANGTUNG PROVINCIAL BANK LOANS

Debtors Asked To Repay

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, Aug. 28.

The Kwangtung Provincial Bank is pressing its debtors for the repayment of loans borrowed from it about a year ago. The total amount given out amounted to $2,500,000 in notes of the Bank, but so far only $500,000 have been repaid.

Demand for repayment was made three months ago, but no pressure was laid as refund would be made in paper money which was then valued at 90 cents to the dollar. As the notes now stabilised and as the date of maturity has long passed, the Bank is again demanding payment.

It is learned that the Kwangtung Provincial Government will shortly announce a day on which the loans have to be repaid, otherwise the collateral securities will be sold in satisfaction of the debt. Although the value of securities has gone down, there is a wide margin left between the amount of the loan and the market value of the security.

Among the debtors are small bankers, silk merchants, and importers. They find it difficult to raise money owing to the financial stringency in the money market. There is plenty of money hoarding up owing to the fact that wealthy people do not wish to circulate their money in local markets during the present period.

CANTON HARBOUR DEPARTMENT

New Rules For Transportation Of Cattle

Canton, Aug. 28.

With a view to ensuing comfort and safety to the passengers as well as to the sheep and cattle on board the steamer, the authorities of the Canton Harbour Department recently decided to make three rules for shipping transportation purposes.

These new rules have already been submitted to the Canton Reconstruction Department and after they have been approved, they will be distributed among all the Canton shipping companies and ship masters for adoption.

The new rules are as follows:

1—All cattle, which are on board a steamer, must be kept at a fixed place and to be separated from the passengers.

2—The place for the keeping of cattle must be fenced with bamboo poles in order to prevent the cattle from going astray or running amok.

3—The place for the keeping of cattle must be at the lowest deck of the steamer.

GERMANY TO CONSTRUCT RAILWAY IN CHINA

Yushan To Pingsiang

Berlin, Aug. 28.

According to the newspapers, a Sino-German syndicate, consisting of Otto Wolf and a group headed by the Bank of China, has concluded a contract with the Nanking Government to construct a railway from Yushun to Pingsiang, all the material to be supplied by Germany.—*Reuter.*

NEW CUSTOMS OFFICES

Along The Great Wall

Nanking, Aug. 18.

It is learned that the Ministry of Finance has decided to establish a number of Customs offices at the various Passes along the Great Wall, including Kupeikou, Hsifengkou, Lengkou, Chalingkou and Yiyuankou, which will be formally opened on the 22nd inst., when duties will begin to be collected on goods passing through these Passes. These offices will be under the jurisdiction of the Tientsin Customs with Mr. Chang Yung Nien, assistant Director of the Customs administration of the Ministry of Finance, in charge of the affairs stationed at Peiping. Mr. Pang To Lien has been appointed Director of the Customs office at Kupeikou, while appointments of the directors of the offices at the other Passes will also be shortly announced.—*Kuo Min.*

TO-DAY'S RADIO PROGRAMME

(Continued from Page 4)

BERLIN PROGRAMME

9 p.m., Dja Announcement (German, English)
German Folk Song
Preview of Programme (German, English)
9.15 p.m., "Speed"
Variations on a Theme of the Age
9.45 p.m., Latest News (English)
10 p.m., From the Reichssender Cologne: Hour of the World. Folk Songs from the Rhine-Country.
11 p.m., Latest News (German)
11.15 p.m., Music and Timely Topics
11.45 p.m., Latest News (English)
12 midnight, Dja Sign Off (German, English)

DAVENTRY PROGRAMME

7 p.m., Time Signal from Big Ben. Reginald Foort at the organ of the Regal, Wimbledon.
7.45 p.m., The Scottish Studio Orchestra, directed by Guy Daines, and vocalist, from an Edinburgh studio. (Time Signal from Greenwich at 12.00).

ANY LETTERS FOR YOU?

Unclaimed Correspondence At The Post Office

Asiatic Knitting Co., Abdul A. Ying.
T. O. Baptiste, Bruner's Book Shop.
Canton Knitting Co., Charle & Co., China National Aviation Corp.
Mr. and Mrs. L. Dabeltein.
A. Fisher.
Ga Lan Um. D. Gibson, R. E. Goodman (s.s. Tower Abbey).
M. H. Hahn, Hong Kong Co-operative Society, Hong Kong's Holly House of Help.
W. P. James.
G. Kastenmuller, Mrs. A. Kidd, Miss V. Knuwener, Kwong Chong Bros.
M. E. Latta, Miss Kathryn Lee, S. Legras, C. D. Luelevlee, Liong Yick.
J. B. MacDonald, Melton Co., Haja Tila Mohomed Bros., Rev. Wm. Murray, The Mutual Co.
The National Bank of India, Ltd.
Omega Trading Co.
W. M. Patton, Miss R. J. Pierce.
Stewart Ross.
Miss E. Schnatter, Miss N. A. Scott, A. T. Sherwin, Miss M. C. C. Smith.
Turnbull & Jones, Ltd.
Miss B. Ude, E. Underdahl, Mrs. D. Urquhart.
Don A. Ch. Waiss.
Yee Tack.
Zenith Trading Co.

Registered Articles

L. F. Bulgakoff (c/o P.K. Geraoleff).
Fong Chun Mo.
Ping Ou, M. P. Premartana.
Wm. J. Reed.

Unclaimed Radio Telegrams

August 15.—Cheong Fat, 36, Bonham-Strand from Hanoi.
August 16.—6102 from Ying Kow.

THE SCIENCE OF RADIATION

(Continued from Column 7)

same finger print, is it not still less likely that the resultants of the myriad inner movements be the same? Investigation showed that they were not. To each type of body—gold, silver, iron, bronze, corresponded a special oscillation or rotation number. An expert could detect not only the presence and the nature of the body, but could discern its mass, temperature, and other qualities. In the early days of radio groping men were delighted when they got their transmitter to ring a little bell in another room of the building. They did not dream of talking across continents, a commonplace to-day.

The Radiesthesic group began to ask if it were possible to preserve the radiations and make them act at a distance. For instance could we, without consulting Ice House Street, know in Hong Kong if, and where, there was gold in Shanghai or if there was danger of striking silver on the outskirts of Timbuctoo! They found the possibility in the photograph. A photograph of the object preserves the peculiar rays and the pendulum held by man's hand over the photograph of a gold mine swings just as it would swing over the mine.

Aid To Mining Engineers.

If the area to be explored is big, a photograph is taken from an aeroplane, giving an acurate contour of the region. Over the surface the diviner moves a finely pointed pencil or needle to serve as feeler in his left hand; in the right he has the testing pendulum. The moment that the pencil passes over the position of the metal sought for the pendulum begins to oscillate. It was quite by accident that Mr. Mermet, one of the ablest exponents of the science, stumbled on this method, a method which he has since used with surprising success for unearthing secrets far from his home in Switzerland.

There is nothing new in the detection of the presence of certain metals by radiation. But the discovery that a photograph could wrap up these radiations and be used at will was entirely new. The science, as I have said, is in its infancy: we do not know what far-reaching results its development may lead to. A striking case was the exact location by M. Mermet of the spot where the de Nobile aeroplane fell and not merely the location of the aeroplane but the quite unexpected information that the survivors of the accident had gone off in two separate groups. Almost uncanny, if not, suggestive of the witch of Endor?

The diviner, with his pendulum, can tell us then whether we have gold or silver in our locked drawers. A young lady, if she was a diviner could tell whether the engagement ring was pure gold or guilded alloy. But can he go further than an inventory of our purses or our desks? Can he probe where even a medical diagnoser may fail? He claims to be able to do so.

Personal Radiation

We are not surprised that gold should radiate but, willy nilly, the dourest old pessimist must radiate too! As effectively as the magnet every man creates around him his radiation field.

1. There is a personal radiation, not found in any other. It will survive for a time in objects which we have used.

2. There is a special radiation, characteristic of sex.

3. There is a radiation proper to each sound organ of the body. If any organ does not cause its normal wave movement, it is affected by disease. Thus Mr. de Belinay tells us that if the brain, instead of 10, gives 80 or more oscillations, it is time to call in the neurologist.

Aiding The Doctor

Finally parasitic organisms have their own vibrations which an expert may perceive. It is in this field that the diviner may in cases, be more accurate in his diagnosis than the physician. Thus from a photograph sent him of a gentleman, M. Mermet diagnosed cancer of the intestines, and marked on the returned photograph the spot affected; a leading specialist had rejected the idea of cancer. The diviner was right; the surgeon was wrong.

What About Character

To most of us a method of investigation which, without opening our desks, can make a certain inventory of them; which even from photograph can locate treasures; which, in certain cases, can probe where the doctor may be baffled, such a method must appear as indiscreet. Is it possible that it could carry its indiscretions further? Could it reveal character traits? To this query there is, so far, no satisfying reply. A priori there is no reason why it should not. Hand-writing reveals many traits. A man with a liver who is known to his associates as Sunny Jim is ironically so known. If the liver, the heart, the lungs, the state of the brain cells, have so much effect on character, the peculiar radiations which come from them might well reveal to one who had the power of reading them an inclination to brightness, to sourness, to irritability, to excitability. Whether the experimentalists who claim for their coordinated conclusions the hallmark of a new science Radiesthesie, will arrive so far, only the future can tell.

Love And Prejudice

I may, however, close with what seems to me a legitimate conclusion from the facts they put before us. We all experience, on meeting our fellow men, a movement favourable or unfavourable practically at first sight. Reason plays no part in it; in fact when we begin to reason about it, we tell ourselves that the prejudice arising is quite unreasonable, when we do experience an immediate dislike. It is unreasoning but, from the nature of radiations, it is, perhaps, not unnatural. Only certain combinations of notes will produce musical harmony, others will produce discord; all depends on the wave blending. If the radiations emitted from other human bodies do not happily blend with mine, if they produce interference, is it not to be expected that an uncomfortable feeling be caused, tending to produce dislike? The reflection may help to make us more tolerant, more kindly disposed towards others. What has originally lead me to dislike them may be nothing more than mere waves, over which they have no control. From myself similar waves are emanating as irritating to them as theirs are to me. Starting with a prejudice it is easy to find justification of my initial attitude by subsequent criticism of their conduct. So can we drift from the cause of peace into social divisions, little club animosities, circular tiffs instead of Rotary tiffins, much more easily than if we had a powder magazine in our back yard.

Harmony Everywhere

Year by year man finds out a little more about some phase of the universe around him or the little world within him. The more he explores, the more beauty he finds, the more harmony, the more unity in the plan, all leading him as the wonders known to them led the prophets of old, to recognise the greatness of the Creator, and the infinite wisdom of His plan.

SIR THOMAS SOUTHORN

Joins The Rotary Club

Sir Thomas Southorn has accepted the Rotary Club's invitation to become an Honorary Member and yesterday attended the Club's weekly luncheon for the first time in the role of an honorary member.

In welcoming Sir Thomas, the President of the Club, Mr. M. K. Lo said: "It gives me the greatest pleasure to extend a warm welcome on your behalf to our newest Honorary Member, Sir Thomas Southorn. I shall read you Sir Thomas' letter to our Honorary Secretary. It is as follows: "Very many thanks for your letter of the 23rd instant informing me that I have been elected an Honorary Member of the Rotary Club of Hong Kong. I shall be glad if you will convey my thanks to the directors for the great honour they have conferred on me. I accept the honorary membership with utmost pleasure and look forward to attending your weekly meetings as often as my engagements will permit."

Mr. Lo then invited Sir Thomas to say a few words to the meeting.

Sir Thomas Southorn: Mr. President and Fellow Rotarians (Hear, hear and applause): I have to thank you very much indeed for the honour you have done me in electing me an honorary member of the Rotary Club of Hong Kong and you, Mr. President, for the very nice things you have said, and you, fellow members for the very hearty way you have received them.

I have visited your Club so often that I feel a special pleasure in coming here to-day as one of yourselves.

A Confession

The Rotary Club, I may make a confession at once, is not one which I have always regarded with enthusiasm because my earliest connection with Rotary was not a very happy one. Some years ago I happened to be visiting on business a certain town in England, but had not taken the precaution to have rooms reserved beforehand at the only decent hotel in the place. Upon arrival at the hotel I found a large number of people wearing a small badge which seemed to me to be belong to some cycling club (laughter) and, to my intense disgust, they had booked every room in the hotel and I and my wife were forced to go to an indifferent hostelry.

But, fellow Rotarians, age and experience has in this case brought a certain amount of wisdom (laughter), because I have since learned to appreciate the very great power for good that Rotary Clubs are and I have a special friendly feeling for the Hong Kong Rotary Club, because when it undertook to do social service, it adopted as its own protege, my own pet child, the Hong Kong Children's Playgrounds. That gives me an added pleasure in accepting your very kind invitation to become an honorary member.

I would like to avail myself of this opportunity of telling you how much the Children's Playgrounds Association appreciates the good work that has been done by the Hong Kong Rotary Club.

I hope to have the pleasure of joying many Tuesday afternoon luncheons with you here. (Applause).

"WHY WE ADMIRE THE ENGLISH"

Members of the Singapore Rotary Club had the privilege of hearing something of the life and work of Cecil Rhodes and of the Rhodes Scholarships from the Rev. Mr. Means' an American Rhodes Scholar.

Mr. Means paid a glowing tribute to the British people and expressed the opinion that Anglo-American amity was the greatest guarantee of world peace. In the course of his address he said:

"As an American who has enjoyed the benefits and privileges of a Rhodes scholarship for three years, I can speak feelingly of the beneficial change that an American experiences as a Rhodes scholar at Oxford.

"The American scholars settle down adapting themselves to English life and try to participate to the fullest extent in the various activities of college life. After enjoying this intimate association with the English students, we return to America with an entirely new appreciation of the English cultural and political tradition, a new appreciation of the value of British-American friendship.

"We admire the English love of games, their amateur spirit in sport and their high sense of sportsmanship. We admire the English students for their intelligent interest in politics and for their world-wide interest in the policies of the British Empire. We admire the English students for the cosmopolitan and liberal atmosphere which they have created at Oxford.

Intellectual Interest.

"We admire the English students for their broad intellectual interests, interests which are not narrowly related to their studies, to professional preparation or to the business of money-making. We appreciate what is meant by "merry old England" both merry and old.

"I believe there is a community of purpose and unity between Britain and America which in international affairs is the best guarantee for world peace. After 30 years the vision and the planning of Rhodes has scattered throughout the world 2,000 Rhodes scholars convinced that the dream of a British-American fellowship is a practical one.

"We have learned at Oxford to play, work and think together in terms of a new world, in terms of the future as well as of the past, in terms of a World Commonwealth as well as in terms of a nation or Empire.

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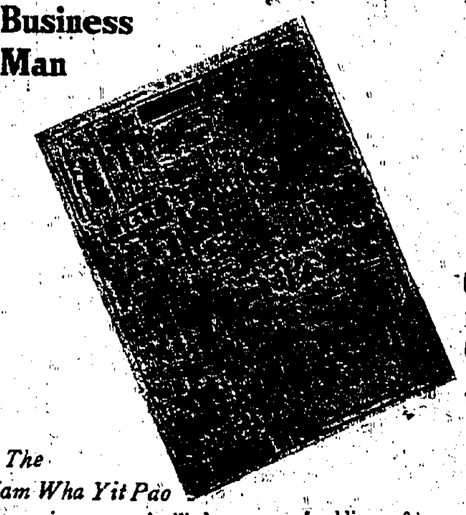

南華日報

The Nam Wha Yit Pao

enjoys an unrivalled measure of public confidence and esteem, not due to fleeting popularity, but the result of years of sound journalism and truthful presentation of news.

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August 17.—Wah Foo from Los Angeles, Calif.

August 17.—Tung Ng from Los Angeles Calif.

August 21.—Vujakitch, Nippon Yushen Kaisha from Bangkok.

August 21.—Chan Chak A. Tack from Berlin.

DAILY SHARE QUOTATIONS

Hong Kong Stock Exchange — Sharebrokers' Association

Buyers	Sellers	Sales	Nominal	TUESDAY, AUGUST 28.	Buyers	Sellers	Sales	Nominal
				Banks				
$1,735	...	...		H.K. Banks				$1,740
...	...	...	£136½	Eo. (London)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	£16⅜	Chartered Banks	...	...	...	£16½
...	...	...	£31	Mercantile Bks. "A"	...	...	...	£31
...	...	...	£13⅛	Do. "C"	...	...	...	£13½
...	...	...	384	Bank of East Asia	$84	...	...	...
...	...	...		N. C. & S. Banks	...	...	...	$5.80
...	...	...	$20	Am. O. Fin. Corp: S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$4	Ch. Fin. Corp. Ord. S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$5	Do Pref. S.	...	...	...	...
				Insurances				
...	...	...	$290	Canton Insurances	...	...	...	$387½
$1.20	...	...		Underwriters	...	$1.25	...	...
...	$550	$545	...	Union Insurances	...	...	...	$550
...	...	...	$510	China Fires	...	...	...	$550
...	...	...	$245	H.K. Fires	...	$350	...	...
...	...	...	6	International Assce. S.	...	...	...	...
				Shipping				
...	...	...	$40.65	Douglases	...	...	...	$42
...	...	...	$7	Steamboats	...	...	...	$7
...	...	...	330	Indos (pref.)	...	...	...	$30
...	...	...	$31	Do. (def.)	...	...	...	$35
...	...	...	47 6	Shells	...	...	...	47/6
...	...	...	:13	Watercarts	...	...	...	$13½
				Mining				
...	...	61½/62	ct	Antamoks	61 cts.	...	61/61½	cts.
...	...	...	$36½	Balatcos	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	41 ct	Baguio Gold	41 cts.	...	...	...
...	...	...	$41	Benguet Consolidated	...	...	...	$41½
...	...	...	19 cts.	Do. Exploration		...	...	19 cts.
...	...	...	2 cts.	Do. Goldfield	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	12 cts.	Big Wedge		...	...	12 cts.
...	...	...	24 cts	Gold River	20 cts.	22 cts.	...	...
...	...	...	$2	Gold Creek	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$2½	Ipo Mining	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$5	Itogons	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	25/3	Kaitans	...	...	...	22/6
...	...	...	$17½	Langkats (single) S.	...	...	...	$18
...	...	...	$5	Explorations S.	...	...	...	$6
...	...	...	$6½	Shanghai Loans S.	...	...	...	$6
...	...	...	$13.10	Raubs		...	...	$13½
...	...	...	$5	Venezuela Gold Flds.	54½	...	...	...
				Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.				
...	$112	...	...	H.K. & K. Wharves	...	...	...	$109
$1.60	...	...	...	Providents (old)	$1.60	...	...	...
...	...	...	50 cts	Do. (new)	...	40 cts.	...	...
...	...	...	$14½	H.K. & W. Docks	...	...	...	$14½
...	...	...	...	S. China Motors 'A'	...	...	...	$3
...	...	...	...	Do. "B"	...	...	...	$2
...	...	...	$117	Shanghai Docks S.	...	...	...	$115
...	...	...	$4½	New Engineerings S.	...	...	...	$5½
...	...	...	$312½	Hongkews (old) S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$310	Do. (new) S.	...	...	...	...
				Lands, Hotels, and Buildings				
...	...	...	$6.55	H.K. Hotels	...	$6.60	...	...
$52½	...	...	...	H.K Lands S.	$51	ex div.	...	...
...	...	...	$27	Shanghai Lands S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$14	Metropolitan Lands	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$5.20	H.K. Realties	$4.75	$4.85	...	...
...	...	...	$15½	China Do S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$137	Do. Debentures S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$10.40	Humphreys	...	...	...	$10
...	...	...	...	New Asia Hotel	...	...	...	$45
...	...	...	$140	Asia Realties "A" S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$20	Do. "B" S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...		Chinese Estates	...	...	...	...
$85	...	...	...	**Cotton Mills**				
...	...	...	...	Ewos S.	$11	...	...	...
$10.90	...	...	...	S'hai Cottons (old) S.	...	...	...	$72½
...	...	...	$74	Do. (new) S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$43½	Zoong Sings S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$11½	Wing On Textiles (S.)	...	...	...	$11½
...	...	...	$55	**Public Utilities**				$55
...	...	...	$20.60	Tramways	...	...	$20.60	...
...	...	...	$15	Peak Trams (old)	...	...	...	$14
...	...	...	$7	Do. (new)	...	...	...	$8
...	...	...	$102½	Star Ferries	$99½	...	...	...
$21	...	...	...	Yaumati Ferries	...	...	...	$21½
$8.70	...	...	...	China Lights (old)	$8.70	...	$8.75	...
$8.30	...	...	...	Do. (new)	$8.30	...	...	...
$71½	...	...	...	H.K. Electrics	$71½	$72	...	...
...	...	...	$25	Macao do.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$8	Sandakan Lights	...	...	...	...
$24.10	...	...	...	Telephones (old)	$24	...	...	...
...	$11.80	...	...	Do. (new)	...	...	...	$11.90
...	...	...	$13.20	China Buses S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	5/-	Tractions	...	...	...	...
17/3	...	...	...	Do. (pref.)	...	...	...	...
				Industrials				
...	...	...	$11	Malabon Sugars	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$21	Caldbeck, (ord.) S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$20	Macgregors (pref.) S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$2.70	Canton Ices	...	...	...	$2½
...	...	...	$2.60	Cements	$2.60	...	$2.60	...
...	...	...	$4.35	Ropes	...	...	...	4.15
				Miscellaneous				
...	...	...	$25.70	Dairy Farms	...	$25.60	...	...
...	...	...	$1	Der A Wings	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$4	Amusements	...	...	...	$3½
...	...	...	$7½	Ch. Entainments	...	$7.60	...	...
...	...	...	$1.60	Constructions, (old)	$1.65	...	...	...
...	...	...	78 cts.	Do. (new)	78 cts.	...	...	...
...	...	...	$4.15	Lane Crawfords	...	...	...	$4.10
...	...	...	$21	Mackintoshs	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Nanyang Tobacco	$4½	...	...	...
...	...	...	$10	Sinceres	...	...	...	$10
...	...	...	$5.60	Watsons	...	...	...	$5.80
...	...	...	70 cts.	Wm. Powells	...	...	...	55 cts.
...	...	...	$2	M. Greyhounds	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$1.30	S. C. Enterprises	$1.30	...	...	...
...	...	...	$2	United Theatres	S.	...	...	...
...	...	...	88 /.	Ch.G.& 1925 G.& Bds.	88/.	...	...	...
7½/.	pref.	...	...	H.K. Govt. 4% Loans	...	...	...	7½%
2½%	perm	...		Do. 3½%	2½%	...	3½%	...
...	...	...	$7½	Wallace Harper	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$110	H.K. Wing On	...	...	...	$120
...	...	...	...	S'hai Do.	...	...	...	$115

H.K. Sharebrokers' Association

BUYERS

Bank of East Asia, $88½.
Douglases, $41½.
Antamoks, 61 cts.
Baguio Gold, 41 cts.
Vens Goldfields, $4½.
Hotels, $5.50.
Lands, $51xd.
Realtys, $4.80.
Ewos, $11.
Providents (old), $1.55.
Trams, $20½.
Ferries, $99½.
Lights (old), $8.70.
Lights (new), $8.40.
Electrics, $72.
Telephones (old), $24.
Cements, $2.55.
Constructions (old), $1.65.
Constructions (new), 78 cts.
Gold $ Bonds, 86%.
Govt. Loan 3½%, 2½%.

SELLERS

Hotels, $5.60.
Wharves, $110.
Trams, $20.70.
Lights (old), $8.80.
Electrics, $72½.
Cements, $2.65.
Entertainments, $7.60.

SALES

Underwriters, $1.20.
Antamoks, 61½ cts.
Hotels, $5.50.
Providents (old), $1.57½/1.60.
Trams, $20.60.
Ferries, $100.
Lights (old), $8.75/8.80.
Cements, $2.60.
Govt. Loan 3½%, $2½%.

NEW YORK STOCK AND COMMODITY QUOTATIONS

AMERICAN ORIENTAL FINANCE CORPORATION AND S. E. LEVY & CO.

New York, Aug. 27.

The American Oriental Finance Corporation's report through their New York agents, Messrs. E. A. Pierce & Co., states:—

Stocks:—We think further temporary hesitation is possible.

Wheat:—There was heavy and considerable selling by tired holders. The tone of the cotton and the corn markets was a contributing factor.

Cotton:—Hedge sales out-weigh the off-take by mills. Opinion differs concerning the material benefit to the crops in Texas and Oklahoma of the recent rains. There are boll-weavil complaints from the South-east. The cotton-goods' market was quiet.

Rubber:—Buying was mostly by dealers. After the opening, the tone was quietly steady, but for the rest of the day until closing there was practically no change. There was no particular news and sentiment locally was bullish.

Flash:—The Annalyst Index of Business Activity is 78.5 compared with 77.8 last week.

New York, Aug. 27.

Messrs. S. E. Levy & Company's report, through their New York agents, Messrs. White, Weld & Co., states:—

A feeling of uncertainty continue, but there has been nothing definite to go upon and we feel that a conservative attitude is justified. Business done 530,000 shares.

Bonds:—High-grades are easier, but second-grades and Government issues are off and inactive.

Wheat:—Hedge-pressure, principally from Winnipeg, was a depressing factor. Outside long-interests are retaining their holdings, but new buying is small. Saturday's sales 14,444,000 bushels.

Corn:—Prices declined in sympathy with wheat. Business done 20,063,000 bushels.

Rubber:—Offerings for actual rubber were high thus lending support to the futures market. Business done: 251 lots.

Cotton:—There was some selling, which was attributed to co-operative interests. Trade buyers are still holding off.

NEW YORK MID-DAY PRICES

The following mid-day prices were received yesterday from New York by Messrs. American Oriental Finance Corporation and S. E. Levy & Co.

COMMODITIES

	Aug. 27	Aug. 28				
	Close	Open	10.30	11.00	11.30	Mid-day
New York-London	506 1/8	505½	505½	505⅝	505⅝	505⅞
Cottot: October	13.09-11	13.11	13.13	13.16	13.20	13.20
Cotton: December	13.25-26	13.26	13.29	13.30	13.31	13.31
Silk: December	1.15½	—	—	114B	113B	113B
Rubber: September	15.73-74	—	15.68	15.73	15.68	15.67
Rubber: December	16.15-17	—	16.09	16.10	16.09	16.09
Wheat: September	102½-⅜	—	101¾	101⅝	101⅝	101½
Wheat: December	103½-103	—	102⅜-½	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
Corn: September	77⅜-½	—	77	77⅛	76⅞	76⅞
Corn: December	79⅛-79	—	78⅜-½	78⅛	78⅛	78⅛
Winnipeg Wheat: Oct.	82⅜	—	—	81¾	81⅜	81⅜
Industrtal Averages	94.46					
STOCKS						
American Smelting	38½	—	37½	37½	37½	37½
Anaconda Copper	12⅜					
Auburn	25½	24⅜	24½	24½	24½	24⅞
Baltimore and Ohio	17½	—	17⅛	17⅛	16⅞	16⅞
J. I. Case	43½					
Consolidated Gas of N.Y.	28⅞	—	28⅜	28⅜	28⅜	28⅜
Du Pont	92½	—	91	91	91	90⅜
El. Bond and Share	11½	10⅜	11⅜B	11½	11½	11½
General Motors	30½	—	30	30½	30	30½
Inter. Tel. and Tel.	10⅞	—	10⅜	10⅜	10½	10⅜
McIntyre Porcu.	46½	—	—	46½	46½	46½
Montgomery W.	24½	24½	24½	24⅜	24⅜	24½
Nat. Distillers	20½	20	20	20½	20⅜	21
N. Y. Central	23½	—	23	23	23	23½
Socony Vacuum	15	—	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞
Standard Oil Co. of N.J.	44⅞	—	44⅞	44⅞	44⅜	44⅜
Un. Aircraft	15	14⅜	14⅜	14⅜	14⅜	14⅜
U. S. Steel	35⅜	—	35	35½	35½	35½
Westinghouse El.	33⅞	33⅜	33½	33⅜	33½	33⅜

COMMODITY PRICES

New York Cotton

New York, Aug. 27.

	August 25 Closing	August 27 Opening		August 27 Closing	
Oct.	13.21	13.14	13.15	13.09	13.11
Dec.	13.36	13.30	13.28	13.25	13.26
Jan.	13.40	13.34	13.33	13.29	13.29
Mar.	13.48	13.42	13.43	13.36	13.36
May	13.57	13.52	13.52	13.44	13.46
July	13.65	13.60	13.61	13.51	13.51
Spot	13.35				13.25

New York Rubber

Sept.	15.70	15.73	15.76	15.73	15.74
Oct.	15.84	15.89	15.89	15.87	15.87
Dec.	16.15	16.21	16.23	16.15	16.17
Jan.	16.28	16.33	16.33	16.28	16.28
Mar.	16.56	16.64	16.66	16.55	16.56
May	16.82	16.92	16.92	16.83	16.83

Total sales: 251 lots

Chicago Wheat

Sept.	104	103½	103½	102½	102½
Dec.	105	104¾	104¾	103¼	103
May	106½	106¼	106¼	105¼	105

Saturday's sales: 14,444,000 bushels

Chicago Corn

Sept.	79½	78¾	78¾	77⅜	77⅜
Dec.	80½	80¾	80¼	79⅛	79
May	83½	83⅜	83¼	82	81⅞

Total sales: 20,063,000 bushels

Winnipeg Wheat

Oct.	84½	84½	84⅜	82⅜	82⅜
Dec.	85½	85⅜	85⅛	83⅜	83⅜
May	89½	89½	89½	87⅛	87⅛

New York Sugar

Sept.	1.72	1.72	1.72	1.72	1.73
Dec.	1.81	1.81	1.81	1.82	1.82
Mar.	1.87	1.87	1.88	1.88	1.88

Total sales: 43,000 tons

New York Silk

Sept.	1.11½	1.11	1.11½	1.11	1.11
Dec.	1.16	1.15	1.15½	1.15	1.15½
Feb.	1.16	1.15	1.16	1.15	1.15½

Total sales: 217 lots

S. E. Levy & Co.'s Cables

The following cabled reports were furnished by Messrs. S. E. & Co. last night:—

American Weather Report

(New York Aug. 28, 6.15 p.m.)

Cotton:—The weather in the Western Cotton Belt is showery. At Galveston there has been downpours caused by hurricane. There has been storm warnings on the Texas coast from Port O'Connor to Freeport. The balance of the Cotton Belt is unsettled.

Grain:—There has been showers in the Midwest. The weather conditions in the balance of the Grain Belt are unchanged.

Market Reports

Favourable factors before the opening of the markets:—The volume of business continues to dwindle on setbacks and the fact that the N.R.A. will begin re-grouping of the industries under Code.

Unfavourable factors were—Steel operations continue to recede. The Labour unrest continues to be very disturbing with the threat of a textile strike broadening.

The market is quite easy, with losses confined within fractions.

THE EXCHANGE MARKET

MESSRS. ROZA BROS. REPORT

America was apparently not in the Silver market yesterday, but the market was supported by speculative interests. China sold. The market closed steady. Prices were 1/16 up at 21 9/16 for both deliveries.

Sterling opened at 5.06¼ and also closed at that rate.

Market

Steady to strong at the opening but the robustness was not fully maintained later.

Sterling

Sellers at the opening at 1/6 17/32 with buyers at 1/6 19/32. The sellers rate was put up to 1/6 9/16 and later 1/6 19/32 at which rate a small business was done for cash and also to a small extent for October at 1/6½. and subsequently 1/6 19/32 for September. At the lunch hour there were sellers at 1/6 9/16, buyers at 1/6 19/32.

U.S. Dollars

On offer at 39¼ to 39 3/16 and subsequently at 39¼ which rate, however, was unobtainable later when wanted. In the interval business was done at 39¼ for October. At 1 o'clock the tone was 39 3/16 sellers, 39¼ buyers.

Yen

129½.

Guilders

56⅞.

Shanghai Dollars

110 13/16, subsequently 110⅜.

Shanghai Market

Sterling 1/4 11/16 for near, 1/4 3/4 for Forward, but the tone was steadier later, near delivery being offered also at that rate. Dollars 35½ for near and later 35 5/16.

IN THE AFTERNOON

The market for a greater part of the afternoon was without interest.

Sterling

Sterling was wanted at 1/6 19/32 and sellers at 1/6 9/16 but later 1/6 9/16 was not on offer and there was possibility of business being done at that rate. Closing selling tone 1/6 17/32.

Shanghai Dollars

Dollar were done early in the morning at 39 5/16 for October but later 39½ was probably the buying rate for that month and 39 3/16 was inquired for September without result. At the close only 39½ was obtainable August-September.

Shanghai Market

Unchanged in Sterling, Dollars 1/16 easier.

LATE NIGHT CABLES

The following cables were received last night by The American Oriental Finance Corporation.

London Forecast

London Forecast of the probable trend of the N.Y. markets:—

While intervention on the part of President Roosevelt in connection with the textile and rayon dispute is likely to allay fears of a strike in those industries, thus calling a halt to yesterday's downward trend, it is generally anticipated that trading on Wall Street will be on a small scale, owing to the cautious attitude adopted by operators.

On the commodity markets, wheat prices will probably open lower and leaderless, but the fundamental position is strong; rubber prices are expected to open easier. A higher, but leaderless cotton market is anticipated. Uncertainties surrounding rains, strike and boll-weevil are confusing sentiment, though Messrs. Sloan & Co. say that a strike is inconceivable on September 4th or at any other date.

A.O.F.C. New York Report

The market seems likely to continue dull awaiting Morganthau's speech to-night.

Cotton demand is small on account of textile strike uncertainties but there is no pressure to sell.

With the approach of Labour Day, a dull routine market seems to be expected at least until the Autumn business trend is more clearly defined.

London Silver

Spot:—21-9/16 unchanged.
Forward:—21-9/16 unchanged.
America and Speculators bought; China sold. Market steady.

Night Quotations of New York Stocks and Commodities

Our offices are open from 10 p.m. until midnight, every night except Sundays and New York holidays.

The opening quotations of a selected list of New York Stocks and of Commodities will be received in our offices at approximately 10-minute intervals.

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QUOTATIONS

New York: August 2.

	High	Low	Last Close	Today's Close	Change
New York/London Cross-rate	5.06½	5.05½	5.06⅜	5.05⅞	½ off steady
New York Cotton—December	13.32	13.26	13.36	13.26	0.10 off
New York Rubber—December	16.23	16.15	16.15	16.17	0.02 up
Chicago Wheat —December	104⅞	103	105	103	2 off
Chicago Corn —December	80⅞	79	80⅞	79	1⅞ off
Silver—Official	—	—	47½	49⅜	⅜ up

Dow Jones Averages,	High—1933/34	Low: Aug. 25.	Aug. 27.	Change
30 Industrials	110.74	50.16	95.71	94.46 1.25 off
20 Rails	56.94	25.43	38.42	37.64 0.78 off
20 Utilities	37.73	19.33	21.72	21.16 0.56 off
40 Bonds	95.48	73.31	93.49	93.42 0.07 off
11 Commodity Index	85.45	41.98	62.65	62.12 0.53 off

Div. $ per. sh.		1933/34 High	Low	Last Sale Aug. 25.	Aug. 27.
3.00	Air Reduction	112	47½	$100½	$99 bid
6.00	Allied Chemical & Dye	180	70½	133½	133
4.00	American Can	107½	49½	100½	99
—	American Radiator	19	4⅜	14½	14
—	American Smelting	55½	10⅜	39	38½
9.00	American Tel. & Tel.	134½	86½	113⅜	112½
5.00	American Tobacco "B"	94½	50½	79⅞	78½
1.00	American Waterworks	43½	5	17⅞	16½
—	Anaconda Copper Mining	22⅞	5	13⅜	12⅜
—	Auburn	84½	24⅜	25⅞	25½
—	Bendix Aviation	23⅜	8⅛	13½	13⅜
1.80	Borden Company	37⅜	18	28⅛	26⅜
—	J. I Case	103½	30½	44⅜	43½
—	Canadian Pacific	20⅞	7⅛	14⅜	14½
0.50	Caterpillar Co.	33	5½	28½	27
1.40	Chase National Bank	40⅜	16⅞	25⅜bid	25 bid
1.00	Chrysler Motors	60⅜	7⅜	35⅜	34½
3.40	Consolidated Gas of N.Y.	64⅜	31½	29½	28⅞
—	Curtiss Wright	5½	1½	3	3
2.00	Du Pont de Nemours	103⅞	32½	93½	92½
3.00	Eastman Kodak	100⅜	46	101	100
—	Electric Auto-Lite Co.	31⅜	10	22½	21½
6% s.	Electric Bond & Share	48	9½	12⅜	11½
—	Electric Power and Light	15⅜	3½	4½	4½
0.40	General Electric	30½	10½	19⅞	19⅜
1.60	General Foods	39⅜	21	30	29⅜
1.00	General Motors	42	10	31⅜	30½
1.00	Gillette Safety	21½	7⅜	12⅜	11⅞
1.20	Gold Dust	27⅜	12	19	19
0.60	International Harvester	46⅞	13⅜	29	28⅜
0.10	International Nickel	29	6½	26½	25⅞
—	International Tel. & Tel.	21⅜	5½	11	10⅞
4.00	Liggett & Myers "B"	99⅜	49½	98½	98⅜
1.00	Loew's Inc.	38½	8½	47½	46½
2.00	Mc Intyre Porcupine	50½	18	25½	24½
—	Montgomery Ward	35⅜	8⅜	33½	33½
2.00	National Biscuit	60⅜	31½	23⅜bid	23½bid
1.00	National City Bank	43⅜	16⅞	17⅜	17⅜
1.20	National Dairy Products	25½	10½	20⅜	20½
—	National Distillers	41⅜	20⅞	24½	23½
—	N. Y. Central	58½	14	15½	15
0.60	Otis Elevator	25½	10½	16½bid	16½
1.50	Pacific Gas & Electric	31⅞	16	3⅜	3⅜
—	Packard Motors	6⅞	1⅜	25½	25½
0.50	Pennsylvania Railway	42½	13⅜	6	6
—	Radio Corpn.	12⅛	3	38⅜	38
—	Sears Roebuck	51½	15⅜	15½	15
0.40	Socony-Vacuum Corpn.	19⅜	6	20	19½
—	Southern Pacific	30⅜	11½	20⅞	20½
1.00	Standard Brands	37⅜	12⅜	9½	8½
—	Standard Gas	22½	5⅜		
1.00	Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey	50½	22½	45½	44⅞
1.00	Texas Corporation	31½	10⅜	24½	24½
0.12½	Trans-America	9⅜	2⅜	6½	6
1.00	Union Carbide & Carbon	51⅞	19⅜	44	43⅜
0.09	Union Pacific	133	61½	104⅜	102½
—	United Air and Transport	16⅞	16½	15⅜	15
—	United Corporation	14⅜	4	4⅜	4⅜
—	United States Steel	87½	22⅜	35⅞	35⅜
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SHIPPING NOTES AND NEWS

Shanghai, Aug. 23.

Mv. Tancred Arrives at Antwerp

Messrs. O. Thoresen & Co. announce that the mv. Tancard arrived at Antwerp on the evening of August 18.

Weihaiwei, Chefoo, and Tientsin

Weihaiwei, Chefoo, and Tientsin are the three ports of call of the I.-C.S.N. passenger and cargo coastal steamer s.s. Fausang, which leaves from Old Ningpo Wharf at noon to-day. She is commanded by Captain W. F. Bichard. The C.N. s.s. Chungking, which will sail to-morrow, will call at the same three northern ports as the s.s. Fausang. The s.s. Chungking will leave from the French Bund at noon to-morrow.

Next Air Mails for Europe

The next vessels leaving for Europe, which connect at Saigon and Singapore with the Saigon-Marseilles-London air mail service and the Bandoeng-Amsterdam air mail service, are the M.M. s.s. Athos II and the Blue Funnel s.s. Antenor. Both vessels are sailing on Saturday. They both connect at Saigon with the Saigon-Marseilles-London air mail. Letters sent by this route reach London on September 9. The s.s. Antenor will also connect at Singapore with the Bandeong-Amsterdam air mail service, and letters sent by this route reach Paris and London on September 12.

Departures for River Ports

The I.-C.S.N. s.s. Kutwo, the C.N. s.s. Tatung, and the N.K.K. s.s. Fenyang Maru are all sailing to-night for Hankow and intermediate ports of call. The s.s. Kutwo is leaving from Hunt's Wharf at midnight. The s.s. Fenyang Maru also leaves about midnight from the N.Y.K. Mail Wharf. The s.s. Tatung sails from the French Bund at 3 a.m. All three vessels are carrying passengers and cargo.

South China Ports

The I.-C.S.N. s.s. Chipshing will sail for Foochow to-morrow. At present she is berthed at buoy 6 and she is scheduled to sail at 2 p.m. to-morrow. A passenger tender from the Customs Jetty will leave at 1 p.m., for the vessel The s.s. Chipshing will be carrying passengers and cargo.

s.s. Pingwo To Carry Passengers

The I.-C.S.N. s.s. Pingwo arrived at Nee Tai Shing Wharf yesterday evening. After she has discharged her cargo of coal she will be going into the Yangtszepoo docks of the Shanghai Dock and Engineering Co., Ltd., where she will be converted into a passenger boat. At the present time she has merely been carrying cargo on the river. It is anticipated that the alterations will take from a month to a month and a half. The decision to convert the s.s. Pingwo into a passenger vessel proves the increasing number of people travelling on the river, for two vessels of the China Navigation have already been reconstructed recently to carry passengers in addition to cargo.

Empress Movements

The Empress of Canada which left Manila on August 20 is expected at Shanghai next Sunday. She will berth at the Shanghai and Hongkew Pootung Wharf at about 1 p.m. The passenger tender to the Customs Jetty should arrive at about 2.30 p.m. The following day, Monday, at 9.30 a.m. the ship is scheduled to sail for Vancouver and Victoria via Kobe, Yokohama, and Honolulu. The passenger tender from the Customs Jetty will leave at 8 a.m. Heavy and light baggage will be handled on all outgoing tenders to the vessel. The Empress of Canada is expected to reach Canada on September 12. Coinciding with the departure of the Empress of Canada on Monday, the Empress of Russia will arrive in port from Victoria and Vancouver.

RUBBER SHARES

Quotations On Singapore Market

Messrs. Carroll Bros. have received the following quotations of Singapore Rubber Shares, dated August 22, 1934.

Prices in Straits Currency:

	Buyers	Sellers
Allenbys	St$1.95	St$2.05
Ayer Moleks	1.40	1.50
Ayer Panas	2.05	2.12½
Changkat Serdangs	5.85	6.10
Glenealys	2.60	2.70
Jimahs	2.05	2.15
Kedahs	3.15	3.30
Lunas	2.50	2.60
Malaka Pindas	1.77½	1.82½
Pajams	2.50	2.57½
Sungei Bagans	3.60	3.70
United Malaccas	1.95	2.00

LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.)

On	Sterling Parity	Aug. 25.	Aug. 27.
Amsterdam	12.10 Florins	7.36½	7.39
Athens	375 Drachmae	520 S.	517 S.
Belgrade	276,316 Dinars	—	218
Berlin	20.43 Marks	12.77½	12.83
Bombay	1s. 6d. per Rupee	1/6 1/16	1/6 1/16
Brussels	36 Belgas	21.26½	21.30
Bucharest	813,568 Lei	498	495
Buenos Aires	47.56d. per Peso	36½ S.O.	36½ S.O.
Copenhagen	18.159 Kroner	22.39½	22.39½
Geneva	25.22½ Francs	15.28½	15.32½
Helsingfors	193.23 Marks	226¾	226 9/32
Hongkong		1/6½	1/6½
Lisbon	110 Escudos	110½	110½
Madrid	25.22½ Pesetas	30 17/32	36 9/16
Milan	92.46 Lire	58 5/32	58 9/32
Montevideo	50.88d. per Peso	39 S.O.	39 S.O.
Montreal	4.867 Dollars	4.92	4.91¾
New York	4.867 Dollars	5.06¾	5.05¾
Oslo	18.159 Kroner	19.90½	19.90½
Paris	124.21 Francs	75 23/32	75 27/32
Prague	164.25 Kronen	120½	120¼
Rio de Janeiro	26.93d. per Gold Milreis	4¼ S.O.	4¼ S.O.
Shanghai		1/4 11/16	1/4 11/16
Stockholm	18.159 Kroner	19.39½	19.39½
Vienna	34.55½ Schillings	26¾	26¾
Yokohama	24.58d. per Yen	1/2¼	1/2¼
Silver (spot)			21 9/16
Silver (forward)		21¼	21 9/16
War Loan	3½%	—	104 7/16

Closing Quotations

August 28, 1934.

ON LONDON:—	
Telegraphic Transfer...	1/6⅛
Bank Bills, on demand	
Bank Bills, 4 months' sight	1/6⅛
Credits, four months' sight	1/7
ON SHANGHAI:—	
On Demand	10 ⅜
ON SINGAPORE:—	
On demand	6 ⅞
ON JAPAN:—	
On demand	127½
ON INDIA:—	
Telegraphic Transfer...	
Bank, on demand	01
ON NEW YORK:—	
Bank Bills, on demand	38½
Credits, 60 days' sight	39⅛
ON BATAVIA:—	
On demand	55⅞
ON PARIS:—	
Bank Bills, on demand	575
Credits, 4 months' sight	605
ON SAIGON:—	
On demand	57½
ON MANILA:—	
On demand	78⅞
ON BANGKOK:—	
On demand	12 ⅞
SOVEREIGNS, Bank Buying Rate	1/6⅞
BAR SILVER, per oz.	21 9/16

LONDON FINANCIAL NOTES

Burma Corporation Dividend

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug. 11.

The final dividend of the Burma Corporation for the year ended June 30 is 2½ annas per share, making a total payment of 5 annas, or 3⅛ per share No bonus is paid for the past year, whereas for 1932-33 shareholders received a bonus of 5/16 per cent., the payment for the whole year having been 3 7-16 per cent. While the price of silver at the close of the corporation's year was nearly 2½d. higher than at the end of June, 1933, material declines occurred in copper, spelter, and lead, copper falling from £40 10s. to £34 5s. a ton, spelter from £17 10s. to £14, and lead from £14 15s. to £12 15s. The lower levels of these base metals would appear to have more than offset any benefits derived from the higher price of silver.

A Swedish Review of Banking

The course of banking in the principal countries has shown wide divergencies since the War, and in an article analysing these divergences and their causes in the "Index," the review of the well-known Swedish bank Svenska Handelsbanken, a notable tribute is paid to the stability of English banking. It is based on the two publications of the League of Nations, "Commercial Banks 1913-1929," and "Commercial Banks, 1925-1933." The period covered was marked by two crises—namely, that of 1920 and the far deeper crisis of 1929-33. Broadly, the article, of which the author is Professor Sven Brisman, reveals the manner in which the banking systems of the principal countries came through these crises. In the matter of losses he review shows that it was chiefly in Scandinavia that bank losses were excessively heavy, following the 1920 crisis, and particularly in Denmark and Norway. The English banks, states the writer, carried on as usual, undisturbed by all the storms raging around them. In the United States, owing to the rapid economic revival, the banks' net profits could be kept more or less unaltered. In the inflationist countries of Europe the banks enjoyed a spurious prosperity, the net profits of the German banks amounting in 1922 to 146 per cent.

Stability of English Banks

As regards the later crisis, from the effects of which the world is still suffering, its influence on bank profits, it is shown, has been much more widespread. More than half of the countries for which figures are given suffered net lossss on their banking systems as a whole, and in the case of the others net profits were reduced on an average to a minimal amount. "The banks of Great Britain," says the writer, "functioning as they do with extraordinary stability, are the only ones that have been able to pay almost as high during the crisis as they did before." Otherwise heavy losses and failures have been recorded among the banks in practically all countries. It was this fact, he points out, that led to the nationalization of the banking system in Austria, and, in the main, also in Germany. The ability of the English banks to abstain from drastic cuts in dividends is a result of their policy of building up large reserves in prosperous years. Thus in the depression shareholders have reaped the benefit of the conservative dividend policy pursued when profits were large, and the banks have been able to retain the confidence of both depositors and shareholders.

WIRELESS GUIDES FOR AEROPLANES

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug. 11.

Following the success of the direction-finding installation at the Croydon airport, the Air Ministry have decided to have similar wireless equipment at every aerodrome around the British coasts. Wireless stations will be erected at Renfrew, Portsmouth, Belfast, Jersey, and Plymouth, first, as they are the nearest airports to the coast for any over-water aircraft, but that the system will be developed so that every military, commercial, and civil aeroplane may be able to travel over any part of the country and be in constant communication with the nearest aerodrome by wireless. Primarily the direction-finding apparatus for aeroplanes fitted with wireless is for the purpose of guiding them in fog, but its service will be available continuously for any navigational or meteorological information to promote safety in flying.

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are hereby notified that their cargo will be discharged into Holt's Wharf Kowloon, where it will lie at Consignees' risk and subject to terms and conditions of storage at Holt's Wharf. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Godown on and after 27th Aug.

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All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on any Tuesdays and Fridays between the hours of 10.45 A.M. and Noon within the free storage period.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the steamer's Godown, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 3rd Sept. will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 17th Sept., or they will not be recognised.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE
Agents.

27th August, 1934. [2707

CONSIGNEE NOTICES.

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CONSIGNEE NOTICE

M.S. "ARAMIS."

ARRIVED HONG KONG ON FRIDAY, THE 24TH AUG., 1934.

From MARSEILLES, &c.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Steamer are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and placed at their risk in the Godowns of the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., Kowloon, whence Delivery can be obtained as the Goods are landed.

Goods not cleared within 7 days, including date of arrival, will be subject to Rent.

All Claims must be sent to the Undersigned before Tuesday, 4th September 1934, or they will not be recognised.

Damaged packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignees and the Company's Surveyors, Messrs. Goddard & Douglas, at 10 a.m. on Thursday, the 30th Aug., 1934.

Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined by the Company's Surveyors.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

R. OHL
Agent.

Hong Kong, 24th Aug., 1934. [2740

CHINA NAVIGATION
COMPANY, LIMITED.

Ningpo & Shanghai	"KANCHOW"	On	29th Aug., Noon
Swatow, Shanghai & Tsingtao	"SUIYANG"	On	29th Aug., 3 p.m.
Amoy & Shanghai	"TSINAN"	On	2-th Aug., 5 p.m.
Santuao & Shanghai	"HUICHOW"	On	3-th Aun., Noon
Swatow, Amoy & Shanghai	"YOCHOW"	On	31st Aug., 3 p.m.
Swatow, Foochow, Weihaiwei, Chefoo & Tientsin	"HUNAN"	On	31st Aug., 3 p.m.
Hoihow, Pakhoi & Haiphong	"KIUNGCHOW"	On	31st Aug., 3 p.m.
Swatow, Shanghai & Tsingtao	"SZECHUEN"	On	2nd Sept., 2 p.m.
Foochow, Shanghai, Dairen & Newchwang	"CHINHUA"	On	2nd Sept., 5 p.m.
Swatow & Bangkok	"KWANGCHOW"	On	3rd Sept., 2 p.m.
Swatow, Shanghai & Tsingtao	"SOOCHOW"	On	4th Sept., 3 p.m.
Amoy & Shanghai	"TAIYUAN"	On	5th Sept., 5 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy & Shanghai	"HUPEH"	On	7th Sept., 3 p.m.
Hoihow, Pakhoi & Haiphong	"KWANGTUNG"	On	7th Sept., 3 p.m
Swatow, Shanghai & Tsingtao	"SHANTUNG"	On	9th Sept., 3 p.m
Foochow, Shanghai, Dairen & Newchwang	"TAMING"	On	9th Sept., 5 p.m.
Amoy, Swatow & Singapore	"ANSHUN"	On	10th Sept., 8 a.m.
Swatow & Bangkok	"KALGAN"	On	10th Sept., 3 p.m.
Hoihow, Pakhoi & Haiphong	"YOCHOW"	On	14th Sept., 3 p.m.
Swatow & Bangkok	"KWEIYANG"	On	17th Sept., 3 p.m.

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SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG

SUNDAYS & WEDNESDAYS AT 4 P.M.

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ADVERTISED SAILING FROM HONG KONG

NORTHWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS AND JAPAN.

Amoy.
Tsinan, B. & S., August 29.
Hai Ching, Douglas', August 31.
Yochow, B. & S., August 31.
Ho Sang, Jardine's, September 1.
Hai Ning, Douglas', September 4.
Tai Yuan, B. & S., September 5.
Hupeh, B. & S., September 7.
Takada, B.I. (Apcar), September 7.
Chak Sang, Jardine's, September 9.
Kum Sang, Jardine's, September 18.

Chefoo.
Hunan, B. & S., August 31.
Yat Shing, Jardine's, September 2.
Hop Sang, Jardine's, September 6.

Dalny.
Burgenland, Jebsen's, August 30.
Chinhua, B. & S., September 2.
Yat Shing, Jardine's, September 2.
Isar, Melcher's, September 6.
Taming, B. & S., September 9.
Ermland, Jebsen's, September 16.
Atreus, B. & S., September 17.
Aeneas, B. & S., September 18.
Coblenz, Jebsen's, September 21.
Kulmerland, Jebsen's, September 27.

Foochow.
Hai Ching, Douglas', August 31.
Hunan, B. & S., August 31.
Chinhua, B. & S., September 2.
Yat Shing, Jardine's, September 2.
Hai Ning, Douglas', September 4.
Hop Sang, Jardine's, September 6.
Taming, B. & S., September 9.

Hankow
Teiresias, B. & S., September 25.

JAPAN (Direct).
Ho Sang, Jardine's, August 31.
Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 13.
Tyndareus, B. & S., September 13.

Keelung.
Nagara Maru, N.Y.K., September 7.

Newchwang
Chinhua, B. & S., September 2.
Taming, B. & S., September 9.

Otaru.
Diomed, B. & S., September 10.

Santuao
Huichow, B. & S., August 30.

Shanghai and Japan
Anna Maersk, Jebsen's, August 29.
Pres. Taft, Dollar's, August 29.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., August 29.
Burgenland, Jebsen's, August 30.
Menestheus, B. & S., August 31.
Pres. Jefferson, A. M. Line, Sept. 1.
Nankin, E. & A. S.S. Co., September 2.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., September 4.
Bangalore, P. & O., September 5.
Isar, Melcher's, September 6.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., September 6.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Sept. 7.
Nagara Maru, N.Y.K., September 7.
Siam, Manners', September 7.
Takada, B.I. (Apcar), September 7.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, September 8.
Andre Lebon, Messageries', Sept. 9.
Diomed, B. & S., September 10.
Phemius, B. & S., September 11.
Pres. Jackson, A. M. Line, Sept. 15.
Ermland, Jebsen's, September 16.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 16.
Tourcoing, Thoresen's, September 16.
Atreus, B. & S., September 17.
Aeneas, B. & S., September 18.
Kum Sang, Jardine's, September 18.
Shantung, Gilman's, September 18.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, September 18.
Comorin, P. & O., September 20.
Coblenz, Jebsen's, September 21.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., September 21.
Kulmerland, Jebsen's, September 27.
Agamemnon, B. & S., September 28.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., October 5.

SHANGHAI AND VIA PORTS.
Norviken, Jardine's, August 29.
Sui Yang, B. & S., August 29.
Tsinan, B. & S., August 29.
Huichow, B. & S., August 30.
Yochow, B. & S., August 31.
Chinhua, B. & S., September 2.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 2.
Daviken, Jardine's, September 2.
Szechuen, B. & S., September 2.
Soochow, B. & S., September 4.
Sandviken, Jardine's, September 5.
Tai Yuan, B. & S., September 5.
Hupeh, B. & S., September 7.
Chak Sang, Jardine's, September 9.
Shantung, B. & S., September 9.
Taming, B. & S., September 9.
Aeneas, B. & S., September 18.

Swatow.
Norviken, Jardine's, August 29.
Seistan, Douglas', August 29.
Sui Yang, B. & S., August 29.
Hai Ching, Douglas', August 31.
Hunan, B. & S., August 31.
Yochow, B. & S., August 31.
Daviken, Jardine's, September 2.
Szechuen, B. & S., September 2.
Yat Shing, Jardine's, September 2.
Kwang Chow, B. & S., September 3.
Hai Ning, Douglas', September 4.
Soochow, B. & S., September 4.
Sandviken, Jardine's, September 5.
Hop Sang, Jardine's, September 6.
Hupeh, B. & S., September 7.
Muinam, Manner's, September 7.
Chak Sang, Jardine's, September 9.
Shantung, B. & S., September 9.

Taku Bar.
Burgenland, Jebsen's, August 30.
Isar, Melcher's, September 6.
Tyndareus, B. & S., September 10.
Ermland, Jebsen's, September 16.
Atreus, B. & S., September 17.
Aeneas, B. & S., September 18.
Coblenz, Jebsen's, September 21.
Kulmerland, Jebsen's, September 27.

Tientsin.
Hunan, B. & S., August 31.
Yat Shing, Jardine's, September 2.
Hop Sang, Jardine's, September 6.

Tsingtao.
Norviken, Jardine's, August 29.
Sui Fang, B. & S., August 29.
Daviken, Jardine's, September 2.
Szechuen, B. & S., September 2.
Soochow, B. & S., September 4.
Sandviken, Jardine's, September 5.
Isar, Melcher's, September 6.
Shantung, B. & S., September 9.
Ermland, Jebsen's, September 16.
Coblenz, Jebsen's, September 21.

Wei Hai Wei.
Hunan, B. & S., August 31.

EASTWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO N. AND SOUTH AMERICA

Balboa.
Nagara Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 12.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, September 18.

Baltimore.
Maron, B. & S., September 10.

Boston and New York.
Pres. Taft, Dollar's, August 29.
Pres. Jefferson, A. M. Line, Sept. 1.
Silverwalnut, Furness', Sept. 3.
Nagara Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, September 8.
Maron, B. & S., September 10.
Pres. Jackson, A. M. Line, Sept. 15.
Siamese Prince, Furness', Sept. 15.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, September 18.

Cristobal
Nagara Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, September 18.

Halifax.
Silverwalnut, Furness', Sept. 3.
Siamese Prince, Furness', Sept. 15.

Honolulu.
Pres. Taft, Dollar's, August 29.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., September 4.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, September 8.
Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 12.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 16.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., September 21.

Los Angeles
Pres. Taft, Dollar's, August 29.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., September 4.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, September 8.
Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 12.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 16.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, September 18.

Mexico.
Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 12.

Panama.
Nagara Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, September 18.

Philadelphia.
Maron, B. & S., September 10.

San Francisco.
Pres. Taft, Dollar's, August 29.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., September 4.
Nagara Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, September 8.
Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 12.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 16.
Tai Shan, Dodwells', September 18.

Seattle.
Pres. Jefferson, A. M. Line, Sept. 1.
Tyndareus, B. & S., September 13.
Pres. Jackson, A. M. Line, Sept. 15.

South America (W.C.)
Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 12.

Vancouver, B.C.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Sept. 7.
Tyndareus, B. & S., September 13.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., September 21.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., October 5.

Victoria, B.C.
Pres. Jefferson, A. M. Line, Sept. 1.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Sept. 7.
Tyndareus, B. & S., September 13.
Pres. Jackson, A. M. Line, Sept. 15.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., September 21.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., October 5.

SOUTHWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA.

Australian Ports, East and West
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Tai Ping, B. & S., September 19.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., September 22.

Bali.
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, September 4.

Bangkok.
Muinam, Manner's, September 7.
Kwang Chow, B. & S., September 3.

Batavia.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Siamese Prince, Furness', Sept. 15.

Brisbane.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., Sept. 1.
Tai Ping, B. & S., September 19.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., September 22.

Cairns.
Tai Ping, B. & S., September 19.

Cebu
Silverwalnut, Furness', Sept. 3.

Bayne
Silverwalnut, Furness', Sept. 3.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., September 22.

Derby.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.

Freemantle.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.

Haiphong.
Kiung Chow, B. & S., August 31.
Kwangtung, B. & S., September 7.

Halifax.
Silverwalnut, Furness', Sept. 3.

Hobart.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., Sept. 1.

Honolulu.
Kiung Chow, B. & S., August 31.
Kwangtung, B. & S., September 7.

Java.
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, September 4.

Macassar.
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, September 4.
Siamese Prince, Furness', Sept. 15.

Manila.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., August 30.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's August 30.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., Sept. 1.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Silverwalnut, Furness', Sept. 3.
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, September 4.
Pres. Jackson, A. M. Line, Sept. 8.
Maron, B. & S., September 10.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., September 14.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, September 15.
Siamese Prince, Furness', Sept. 15.
Tai Ping, B. & S., September 19.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., September 22.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., September 27.

Melbourne.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., Sept. 1.
Tai Ping, B. & S., September 19.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., September 22.

Menado.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., September 22.

Pakho'
Kiung Chow, B. & S., August 31
Kwangtung, B. & S., September 7.

Rabeul.
Bremerhaven, Melcher's, August 29.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., Sept. 1.

Saigon.
Aramis, Messageries', September 11.

Samarang.
Hin Sang, Jardine's, September 14.
Mau Sang, Jardine's, September 28.

Semarang.
Siamese Prince, Furness', Sept. 15.

Socrabia.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, September 4.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Siamese Prince, Furness', Sept. 15.

South Sea Islands.
Bremerhaven, Melcher's, August 29.
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, September 4.

Suvarnas
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., Sept. 1.
Tai Ping, B. & S., September 19.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., September 22.

Thursday Island.
Tai Ping, B. & S., September 19.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., September 22.

Townsville.
Tai Ping, B. & S., September 19.

Tsingtao.
Bremerhaven, Melcher's, August 29.

WESTWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO EUROPE, AFRICA, ETC.

Aden.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.
Aramis, Messageries', September 11.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., September 15.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.

Alexandria.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.

Algiers.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.

Amsterdam.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.

Antwerp.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., September 15.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.

Barcelona.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, September 5.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.

Beyreuth
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.

Bombay.
Genoa Maru, N.Y.K., August 29.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 13.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.
Toyama Maru, N.Y.K., September 11.

Boston and New York
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Silverwalnut, Furness', Sept. 3.
Maron, B. & S., September 10.
Siamese Prince, Furness', Sept. 15.

Bremen
Donau, Melchers', September 9.

Brindisi
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 13.

Calcutta
Genoa Maru, N.Y.K., August 29.
Talma, B.I. (Apcar), August 31.
Calcutta Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Kut Sang, Jardine's, September 8.
Toyama Maru, N.Y.K., September 11.
Ho Sang, Jardine's, September 22.

Casablanca.
Troilus, B. & S., September 5.

Colombo.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, September 5.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Donau, Melchers', September 9.
Aramis, Messageries', September 11.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 13.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., September 15.
Sirdhana, B.I. (Apcar), September 15.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.

Copenhagen
Danmark, Manners', September 1.

Danzig.
Laomedon, B. & S., September 7.

Djibouti.
Aramis, Messageries', September 11.

Genoa.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, September 5.
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Maron, B. & S., September 10.

Gibraltar.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Corfu, P. & O., September 5.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., September 15.

Glasgow.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
City of Norwich, Bank Line, Sept. 9.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.

Gothenburg.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.

Gdynia.
Laomedon, B. & S., September 7.

Hamburg.
Danmark, Manners', September 1.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, September 5.
Troilus, B. & S., September 5.
City of Norwich, Bank Line, Sept. 9.
Donau, Melchers', September 9.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.

Scandinavian and Baltic Ports
Danmark, Manners', September 1.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.

INDO-CHINA
STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

SAILINGS SUBJECT TO ALTERATIONS

To	Steamship	Date
TSINGTAU via SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"NORVIKEN"	Wed., 29th Aug., at 5 p.m.
	"DAVIKEN"	Sun., 2nd Sept., at 3 p.m.
	"SANDVIKEN"	Wed., 5th Sept., at 5 p.m.
	"CHAKSANG"	Sun., 9th Sept., at 3 p.m.
KOBE via AMOY & OSAKA	"HOSANG"	Satur., 1st Sept., at 10 a.m.
KOBE via AMOY, S'HAI. & OSAKA	"KUMSANG"	Tues., 18th Sept., at 10 a.m.
SINGAPORE, PENANG & CALCUTTA	"KUTSANG"	Satur., 8th Sept., at 4 p.m.
	"HOSANG"	Satur., 22nd Sept., at Noon
SANDAKAN	"HINSANG"	Fri., 14th Sept., at Noon
	"MAUSANG"	Fri., 28th Sept., at Noon
TIENTSIN via SWATOW, FOOCHOW, CHEFOO & DALNY	"YATSHING"	Sun., 2nd Sept., at 2 p.m.
TIENTSIN via SWATOW, FOOCHOW & CHEFOO.	"HOPSANG"	Thurs., 6th Sept., at 5 p.m.

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Havre.
Laomedon, B. & S., September 7.
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Hull.
Troilus, B. & S., September 5.

Istanbul
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.

Italy.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 13.

Liverpool.
Laomedon, B. & S., September 7.
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.

London.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Troilus, B. & S., September 5.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.
City of Norwich, Bank Line, Sept. 9.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 13.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., September 15.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.

Malta.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.

Marseilles.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.
Donau, Melchers', September 9.
Aramis, Messageries', September 11.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., September 15.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.

Naples.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Silverwalnut, Furness', Sept. 3.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., September 15.
Siamese Prince, Furness', Sept. 15.

Oran.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Donau, Melchers', September 9.

Oslo.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.

Penang.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Genoa Maru, N.Y.K., August 29.
Talma, B.I. (Apcar), August 31.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, September 1.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Troilus, B. & S., September 5.
Calcutta Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.
Kut Sang, Jardine's, September 8.
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Toyama Maru, N.Y.K., September 11.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., September 15.
Sirdhana, B.I. (Apcar), September 15.
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, September 20.
Ho Sang, Jardine's, September 22.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.

Piraeus
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.

Plymouth.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.

Port Said.
Danmark, Manners', September 1.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, September 5.
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Donau, Melchers', September 9.
Aramis, Messageries', September 11.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 13.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., September 15.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.

Port Swettenham.
Talma, B. J. (Apcar) August 31.

Rangoon.
Genoa Maru, N.Y.K., August 29.
Calcutta Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, September 20.

Rotterdam.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Genoa Maru, N.Y.K., August 29.
Danmark, Manners', September 1.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, September 5.
Troilus, B. & S., September 5.
City of Norwich, Bank Line, Sept. 9.
Donau, Melchers', September 9.
Ajax, B. & S., September 12.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., September 15.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.

Scandinavian and Baltic Ports
Danmark, Manners', September 1.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.

Singapore.
Antenor, B. & S., August 29.
Genoa Maru, N.Y.K., August 29.
Talma, B.I. (Apcar), August 31.
Danmark, Manners', September 1.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, September 1.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., September 1.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, September 5.
Troilus, B. & S., September 5.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 13.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., September 15.

Tangier.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.

Trieste.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 13.

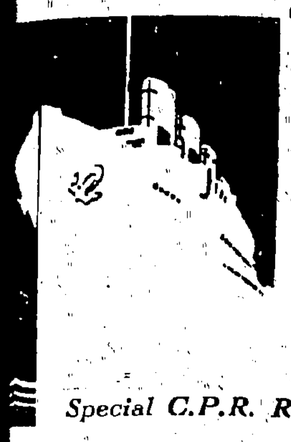
United Kingdom and Continental Ports.
Danmark, Manners', September 1.

Valencia
Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.

Venice.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 13.

VESSELS DUE

Achilles, B. & S., October 8.
Aeneas, B. & S., Sept. 18.
Agamemnon, B. & S., September 28.
Andre Lebon, Messageries', Sept. 9.
Anna Maersk, Jebsen's, August 29.
Atago Marr, N.Y.K., Sept. 4.
Bangalore, P. & O., Sept. 4.
Bhutan, P. & O., October 2.
Bremerhaven, Melcher's, August 29.
Burgenland, Jebsen's, August 30.
City of Norwich, Bank Line, Sept. 9.
Comorin, P. & O., September 19.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 2.
Corfu, P. & O., September 8.
Danmark, Manners', September 1.
Diomed, B. & S., Sept. 10.
Donau, Melchers', September 9.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., September 26.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., Sept. 14.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., August 29.
Ermland, Jebsen's, September 16.
Formosa, Gilman's, September 2.
Glaucus, B. & S., October 11.
Hai Ching, Douglas', August 30.
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, September 20.
Hai Ning, Douglas', September 3.
Hector, B. & S., September 26.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 30.
Ho Sang, Jardine's, August 30.
Isar, Melcher's, September 6.
Ixion, B. & S., September 27.
Kiungchow, B. & S., August 29.
Kulmerland, Jebsen's, September 27.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, September 5.
Menestheus, B. & S., August 31.
Mirzapore, P. & O., August 31.
Muinam, Manner's, September 5.
Nagara Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.
Nankin, E. & A. S.S. Co., Sept. 1.
Nellore, E. & A. S.S. Co., October 3.
Phemius, B. & S., September 10.
Philoctetes, B. & S., October 3.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, August 31.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, August 30
Pres. Grant, A. M. Line, October 5.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, September 14.
Pres. Hayes, Dollar's, September 28.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, September 27.
Pres. Jackson, A.M. Line, September 7.
Pres. Jefferson, A. M. Line, August 31.
Pres. Johnson, Dollar's, October 9.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, Sept. 21.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, September 17.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar's, August 31.
Rajputana, P. & O., October 3.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., Sept. 5.
Santhia, B.I. (Apcar), October 3.
Shantung, Gilman's, September 18.
Siam, Manners', September 7.
Siamese Prince, Furness', Sept. 15.
Silverwalnut, Furness', Sept. 3.
Somali, P. & O., September 15.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., August 31.
Tai Ping, B. & S., September 11.
Tai Shan, Dodwell's, September 17.
Takada, B.I. (Apcar), Sept. 5.
Talma, E. & A. S.S. Co., August 30.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., August 29.
Tango Maru, N.Y.K., August 29.
Teiresias, B. & S., September 25.
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, September 4.
Tjiwa, B.I. (Apcar), September 19.
Touraine, Thoresen's, September 24.
Tourcoing, Thoresen's, September 12.
Troilus, B. & S., September 4.
Tyndareus, B. & S., September 10.



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Empr. of Japan	Sept. 21	Sept. 23		Sept. 26	Sept. 28	Oct. 4	Oct. 9	Oct. 22
Empr. of Asia	Oct. 5	Oct. 7	Oct. 9	Oct. 11	Oct. 13			Oct. 22
Empr. of Canada	Oct. 19	Oct. 21		Oct. 24	Oct. 26	Nov. 12	Nov. 7	Nov. 7
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KAMO MARU ... ... Saturday, 27th Oct.

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TANGO MARU ... ... Thursday, 11th Oct.

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NAGARA MARU ... Saturday, 8th Sept.
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LYONS MARU ... ... Saturday, 8th Sept.

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CALOUTTA MARU ... ... Friday, 7th Sept.
MALACCA MARU ... ... Saturday, 15th Sept.
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Sept. 21	Sept. 30	Felix Roussel	Oct. 4	Oct. 9

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Shipping News

Daily Statement, Clearances, Ships in Harbour, etc.

YESTERDAY'S FREIGHT RETURNS

IMPORTS 29,100 TONS; THROUGH CARGO 17,400 TONS

The returns, shown at the Harbour Office of vessels carrying cargo to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday were:—

	Cargo for H.K.	Through Ports
British		
Lycaon, Singapore	1,039	5,260
Hunan, Weihaiwei	650	745
Liangchow, Amoy	236	1,362
Hulchow, Swatow	33	854
Tsinan, Swatow	90	54
Sui Yang, Canton	—	280
Lyeemoon, Saigon	2,500	—
	4,548	8,555
American		
Pres. Taft, Manila	158	2,705
	158	2,705
Danish		
Asia, Osaka	619	16
	619	16
French		
Canton, Haiphong	380	—
	380	—
Norwegian		
Wilfred, C. W. Tao	1,129	3,700
Prosper, Saigon	1,250	—
Henrik, Bangkok	1,615	—
Proteus, Bangkok	2,285	—
	6,279	3,700
Dutch		
Phobos, Tarakan	9,830	—
	9,830	—
Japanese		
Sungshan Maru, Amoy	827	—
Banshu Maru, Keelung	—	—
Unyo Maru, Miike	6,363	—
	7,290	—
Chinese		
Hai Shang, Swatow	88	2,500
	88	2,500
Total	29,192	17,476

SHIPS IN HARBOUR

WHARVES

Kowloon:—President Taft, Athos II, Cremer, Terukuni Maru.
Socony—Laichikok:—Hannah Moller.
China Merchants:—Kung Ping.
Douglas Lapraik:—Hai Yang, Seistan.
Quarry Bay:—Kanchow.
Saikong:—Ou Chao.
Chiu On:—Hydrangea.

DOCKS

Kowloon:—Silver Walnut, Michael Jebsen.
Taikoo:—H.M.S. Osiris, Sai On, Soochow, Hero.

BUOYS

No. A1.—Mentor.
No. A3.—Pleasantville.
No. A4.—Kong Nam.
No. A8.—Tjisondari.
No. A11.—Unyo Maru.
No. A15.—Asia.
No. B4.—G. G. Paul Doumer.
No. B5.—Helikon.
No. B6.—Lyeemoon.
No. B7.—Canton.
No. B9.—Gustav Diederichsen.
No. B11.—Hermod.
No. B12.—Proteus.
No. B14.—Kwangchow.
No. B15.—Hunan.
No. B17.—Henrik.
No. B20.—Sui Yang.
No. B21.—Barge.
No. B25.—Wilfred.
No. C1.—Prosper.

ARRIVALS

27TH. AUGUST.

Cremer, Dutch str., 2,784 tons, Captain J. de Groot, from Singapore, Kowloon Wharf.—J. C. J. Line.
Proteus, Norwegian str., 1,027 tons, Captain E. Winsnes, from Bangkok, buoy No. B12.—K. Larsen & Co.
Agatha, Dutch str., 1,639 tons, Captain J. J. Duinker, from Pladjoe, Tai Kok Tsui.—A.P.C.

28TH. AUGUST.

Terukuni Maru, Japanese str., 7,156 tons, Captain Y. Okuno, from London via ports, Kowloon Wharf.—N. Y. K.
Genoa Maru, Japanese str., 4,894 tons, Captain K. Kurata, from Nagasaki (Sakito), Kowloon Wharf.—N. Y. K.
General Pershing, American str., 2,732 tons, Captain J. S. Smith from Manila, Kowloon Wharf.—States & Co.
Unyo Maru, Japanese str., 3,158 tons, Captain S. Hachi, from Miike, buoy No. A11.—M. B. K.
Pleasantville, Norwegian str., 2,749 tons, Captain L. Passel, from Manila, buoy No. A3.—Bank Line.
Athos II., French str., 8,947 tons, Captain Bamdet, from Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf.—M. M. & Co.
Yuan On, Chinese str., 1,116 tons, Captain H. O. Udden, from Shanghai, C. M. S. N. Wharf.—C.M.S.N. & Co.
Seistan, British str., 1,571 tons, Captain J. Crosthwaite, from Swatow, Douglas Wharf.—Douglas & Co.

CLEARANCES

28TH. AUGUST.

Sungshan Maru, Canton.
Tjisondari, for Muntok.
Yat Shing, for Canton.
Wilfred, for Whampoa.
Lycaon, for Shanghai.
Mentor, for Manila.
Paul Doumer, for K. C. Wan.
Canton, for Haiphong.
Pres. Taft, for Shanghai.
Athos II, for Saigon.
Asia, for Manila.
Yuan On, for Canton.
Terukuni Maru, for Shanghai.
Ou Chao, for K. C. Wan.
Hunan, for Canton.
Pleasantville, for Los Angeles.
Hai Yang, for Swatow.

SHIPPING MOVEMENT

The (Butterfield & Swire,) s.s. Menestheus will arrive from Singapore on the 1st September 1934.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES

The arrivals and departures during the period under review were:—

	Arr.	Dep.
British	7	8
American	1	0
Danish	1	0
French	1	0
Norwegian	4	2
Dutch	1	0
German	0	1
Japanese	3	2
Chinese	1	2
Total	19	15

ASIATIC DECK PASSENGERS

The following vessels brought Asiatic deck passengers to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday:—

Lycaon (Br.), Singapore	174
Hunan (Br.), Weihaiwei	40
Tsinan (Br.), Swatow	93
Sui Yang (Br.), Canton	33
Lyeemoon (Br.), Saigon	315
Canton (Fr.), Haiphong	49
Prosper (Nor.), Saigon	188
Proteus (Nor.), Bangkok	10
Sungshan Maru (Jap.), Amoy	22
Hai Shang (Ch.), Swatow	92
Total	1,016

IN WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS

The list of ships expected to be in wireless communication with Hong Kong to-day:—

Kamona, Sebastiano Caboto, King Yuan, Ranpura, General Pershing, Tango Maru, Hydrangea, Anna Maersk, Yuen Sang, Tsinan, Kau Sing, Antenor, Talma, Tanda, Tai Hing.

WARSHIPS IN PORT

Basin.—Tamar.
North Wall.—Veteran, Wren.
South Wall.—Robin.
West Wall.—Cicala, Witch.
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†* "SOMALI"	7,000	15th Sept.	Bombay, Mars., Havre, London. H'bg., R'dm., A'werp. & Hull
"MANTUA"	11,000	22nd Sept.	Marseilles and London.
"RAWALPINDI"	17,000	6th Oct.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
†* "BANGALORE"	6,000	13th Oct.	Mars., Havre, L'don., H'bg., R'dam, A'werp., & Hull.
"COMORIN"	15,000	20th Oct.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"RAJPUTANA"	17,000	3rd Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles and London
†* "BHUTAN"	6,000	10th Nov.	Mars., Havre, L'don., H'bg., R'dm., A'werp. & Hull
"CHITRAL"	15,000	17th Nov.	Marseilles and London.
†* "BEHAR"	6,100	24th Nov.	Bombay, Mars., Havre, L'don., H'bg., R'dm., A'werp. & Hull
"CARTHAGE"	15,000	1st Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
†* "SOUDAN"	7,000	8th Dec.	Bombay, Mars., Havre, L'don., H'bg., R'dm., A'werp. & Hull
"RANPURA"	17,000	15th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.

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"SIRDHANA"	8,000	15th Sept.	do.
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SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI AND JAPAN

"NANKIN"	7,000	2nd Sept.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe, Osaka, & Y'hama
* "BANGALORE"	6,000	5th Sept.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
"RAWALPINDI"	17,000	6th Sept.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"TAKADA"	8,000	7th Sept.	Amoy, S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Osaka
"COMORIN"	15,000	20th Sept.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"TILAWA"	10,000	21st Sept.	Amoy, S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Osaka
* "BHUTAN"	6,000	3rd Oct.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Yokahama.
"NELLORE"	7,000	3rd Oct.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Y'hama
"RAJPUTANA"	17,000	4th Oct.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama
"SANTHIA"	8,000	5th Oct.	Amoy, S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Osaka
* "BEHAR"	6,100	14th Oct.	S'hai., Kobe & Yokohama.
"CHITRAL"	15,000	9th Oct.	do.
"TALMA"	10,000	19th Oct.	Amoy, S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Osaka
"SOUDAN"	7,000	31st Oct.	S'hai., Kobe & Yokohama.
"CARTHAGE"	15,000	2nd Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Y'hama.
"SIRDHANA"	8,000	2nd Nov.	Amoy, S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Osaka
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HONG KONG TIDE TABLE.

From August 24, to September 4, 1934.

Days of Week.	Date of Month.	High Water. Hong Kong Standard Time.	High Water. Height.	Low Water. Hong Kong Standard Time.	Low Water. Height.
		h. m.	ft. in.	h. m.	ft. in.
Wed.	29	00 07	6 9	05 55	2 1
		12 20	5 9	18 00	2 6
Thur.	30	00 41	6 0	06 58	2 1
		13 12	5 11	18 33	3 0
Fri.	31	01 17	6 0	08 15	2 3
		14 44	4 11	18 31	3 3
Sat.	1	01 57	6 0	09 45	2 3
		16 10	3 5	17 31	3 3
Sun.	2	02 46	6 0	11 14	2 1
		—	—	—	—
Mon.	3	04 03	6 0	—	—
		—	—	12 27	1 8
Tues.	4	05 35	6 1	13 19	1 6
		21 36	4 3	23 36	4 2

HONGKONG METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

Hong Kong Observatory, August 28.

	Previous Day at 4 p.m.	On Date at 10 a.m.	On Date at 4 p.m.
Barometer...	29.74	29 87	29.84
Temperature	83	84	84
Humidity.	85	81	82
Wind—			
Direction	E	SE	S E
Force ...	5	4	3
Weather	C	C	C
Rain	0.00	0.00	0.13

Highest open-air Temperature, 87·57
Lowest open-air Temperature, 28·79

B=Blue sky; C=Cloudy; D=Drizzle; F=Fog; L=Lightning; M=Mist; O=Overcast; P=Passing Showers; J=Squalls; R=Rain; T=Thunder.

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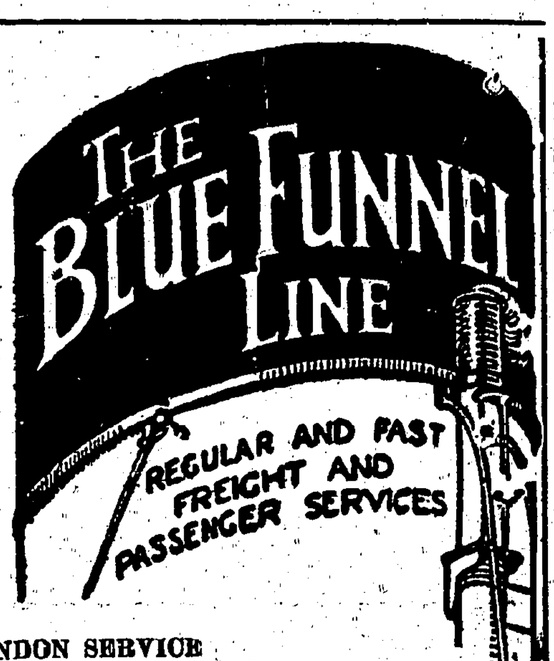

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17] *Chief Manager.*

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Trustee and Executorships undertaken.
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J. B. ROSS,
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Hong Kong, June 12th, 1934.

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CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and FIXED DEPOSITS received for one year or shorter periods at rates which will be quoted on application.

W. H. E. THOMAS,
Acting Manager.
Hong Kong, Feb. 11th, 1934. [30

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A. L. BRUSSET,
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G. KISHINAMI,
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Hong Kong, 11th Apr., 1934. [35

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From	Per	Due
JAPAN	*Tanda*	29th Aug.
SHANGHAI and SWATOW	*Kiangshan* ...	29th Aug.
SHANGHAI and SWATOW	*Szechuen* ...	30th Aug.
AMOY	*Talma*	31st Aug.
CANADA, U.S.A., JAPAN and SHANGHAI (Vancouver, B.C., 11th August)—and EUROPE via Siberia (London, 8th August)	*Emp. of Russia* ...	30th Aug.
SHANGHAI	*Mirsapore* ...	30th Aug.
U.S.A., HONOLULU, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (San Francisco, 10th August) ...	*Pres. Coolidge* ...	30th Aug.
EUROPE via NEGAPATAM (Letters only) London, 2nd August	*Hosang* ...	31st Aug.
MANILA	*Pres. Jefferson* ...	31st Aug.
U.S.A., HONOLULU, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (San Francisco, 3rd August) ...	*Pres. Adams* ...	31st Aug.
EUROPE via NEGAPATAM (Papers only) London, 2nd August and Parcels, 26th July —and Air Mail ex Imperial Airways Service	*Menestheus* ...	31st Aug.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	*Suwa Maru* ...	31st Aug.
AUSTRALIA and MANILA ...	*Nankin* ...	1st Sept.
STRAITS	*Conte Rosso* ...	2nd Sept.
STRAITS	*Morioka Maru* ...	3rd Sept.
SHANGHAI	*Troilus* ...	4th Sept.
STRAITS	*Bangalore* ...	4th Sept.
JAPAN	*Arisona Maru* ...	4th Sept.
CALCUTTA and STRAITS ...	*Takada* ...	5th Sept.
JAPAN	*Sydney Maru* ...	5th Sept.
EUROPE via SUEZ (Letters and Papers) London, 9th Aug.—and Parcels, 2nd August	*Rawalpindi* ...	5th Sept.
JAPAN	*Calcutta Maru* ...	6th Sept.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	*Oorfu*	7th Sept.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	*General Sherman* ...	7th Sept.
U.S.A., CANADA, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (Seattle, 18th Aug.) ...	*Pres. Jackson* ...	7th Sept.
JAPAN	*Nagara Maru* ...	7th Sept.
SHANGHAI	*Tyndareus* ...	8th Sept.
JAPAN	*Lyons Maru* ...	8th Sept.

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For	Per	Date and Time
		Wednesday, 29th
Saigon	*Genoa Maru* ...	10.30 a.m.
Rabaul	*Bremerhaven* ...	10.30 a.m.
		Kowloon P.O.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 27th September ...	*Antenor* ...	Reg. 1.00 p.m. Letters 1.00 p.m. *G.P.O.* Reg. 1.45 p.m. Letters 2.30 p.m.
Swatow	*Seistan*	3.00 p.m.
Amoy	*Taiwan* ...	3.30 p.m.
		Thursday, 30th
Swatow	*Hydrangea* ...	3.00 p.m.
Manila	*Emp. of Russia* ...	3.30 p.m.
Manila	*Pres. Coolidge* ...	5.00 p.m.
		Friday, 31st,
Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	*Kiangchow* ...	1.00 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	*Haiching* ...	2.00 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and *EUROPE via Victoria B.C.—due Victoria B.C., 18th Sept.,—and *EUROPE via Siberia ...	*Pres. Jefferson* ...	Parcels 3.00 p.m. Reg. 4.15 p.m. Letters 5.00 p.m.
Manila	*Pres. Adams*	6.00 p.m.
Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane—due Brisbane, 18th September...	*Tanda*	Par. 31/8, 5.00 p.m. Reg. 31/8,5.00 p.m. Let. 1/9, 8.30 a.m. *Kowloon P.O.* Reg. 31/8, 4.30 p.m. Let. 1/9, 9.00 a.m. *G.P.O.*
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, *East and *South Africa, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 1st October	*Suiwa Maru* ...	Reg. 1/9, 8.45 a.m. Let. 1/9, 9.30 a.m.
		SEPTEMBER Saturday, 1st,
Amoy	*Hosang*	8.30 a.m. *K.P.O.* Reg. 10.30 a.m. Let. 11.00 a.m.
Letters for "Imperial Airways Service"	Talma ...	*G.P.O.* Reg. 11.00 a.m. Let. 11.30 a.m.
Straits and Calcutta	*Talma*	Parcels 11.30 a.m. Letters 12.30 p.m.
Shanghai	*Conte Rosso* ...	5.00 p.m.
		Sunday, 2nd,
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	*Hosan Maru* ...	9.00 a.m.
Foochow	*Chinkua*	9.00 a.m.
		Monday, 3rd,
Bangkok via Swatow	*Kwangchow* ...	9.00 a.m.
		Tuesday, 4th,
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., C. and S. America, *Canada and *EUROPE via San Francisco—due San Francisco, 25th September —and *EUROPE via Siberia ...	*Asama Maru* ...	Reg. 1st, 5.00 p.m. Let. 4th, 8.30 a.m.
Manila, Makassar and Sourabaya ...	*Tjisadane* ...	9.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow ...	*Hai Ning* ...	3.00 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa ...	*Arisona Maru* ...	3.30 p.m.
		Wednesday, 5th
Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane —due Brisbane, 19th September ...	*Sydney Maru* ...	Parcels 3.00 p.m. Reg. 4.15 p.m. Letters 5.00 p.m.
		Thursday 6th,
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., *Central and *South America and *EUROPE via Vancouver, B.C., (Parcels for Canada only)—due Vancouver, B.C., 24th Sept.,—and *EUROPE via Siberia ...	*Emp. of Russia* ...	Par. 6th, 5.00 p.m. Reg. 7th, 9.15 a.m. Letters 10.00 a.m.

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